

## Tennessee Petitions 1813 – 1817

Name or Subject	Description	County	Year	Petition Number	Session
Adams, Nancy	Petition of widow, Nancy Adams, asking for the rifle and other articles carried by her husband, Peter Adams, against the Creek Indians.	Warren	1813	5	3
Adams, Peter	Petition of widow, Nancy Adams, asking for the rifle and other articles carried by her husband, Peter Adams, against the Creek Indians.	Warren	1813	5	3
Alexander, Robert	Petition of Robert Henry for heirs of Robert Alexander asking duplicate land warrant.	Haywood	1817	48	
Alexander, Samuel	Petition of Daniel Gunn asking for a land grant. Named in petition: Samuel Alexander, John Watson, Thomas Gunn, and Asa Mason.	Robertson	1817	23	
Allen, David	Petition of David Allen asking permission to build a mill dam on Stones River.	Davidson	1815	60	
Allen, Jesse	Petition of Jesse Allen asking that a fine imposed on him be remitted.	Warren	1815	50	
Anderson County	Petition asking the names of Anderson and Giles Counties be changed to Pike and Lawrence Counties.	Anderson, Giles	1813	19	1
Anderson County, boundaries	Petition asking a change in the Campbell/Anderson County line.	Campbell, Anderson			
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Anderson, Isaac	Petition of John Anderson asking to legalize son, Isaac Christy. Also named in petition: Margaret Christy.	Carter	1813	29	2
Anderson, John	Petition of John Anderson asking to legalize son, Isaac Christy. Also named in petition: Margaret Christy.	Carter	1813	29	2
Anderson, Thomas	Petition of the heirs of David King asking for a deed to land that he purchased from Thomas Anderson..	Sumner	1813	3	2
Anderson, William P.	Petition of William Bradley regarding a land grant. Named in petition: William P. Anderson, Edward Thorsley, and William Dillon.	Franklin	1813	17	1
Armstrong, James (Dr.)	Petition of John Warner asking that he be refunded certain money paid by him while sheriff of Bedford County. Named in petition: Jesse Clark, Jesse Evans, Gov. Willie Blount, and Dr. James Armstrong.	Bedford	1817	28	
Armstrong, James L.	Petition of James L. Armstrong asking the Rutherford County Seat be returned to the Town of Jefferson or compensate him for loss on land investment.	Rutherford	1813	8	1
Armstrong, James L.	Petition of Neal B. Rose, Thomas Toppington, James L. Armstrong, Archibald H. Harris, Joel Dyer, George R. Nash, Thomas Mitchell, David Patton, & George Simpson asking that the county seat be returned to the town of Jefferson or they be refunded money for lots purchased. Also named: William Quisenberry, surveyor.	Rutherford	1813	27	1
Armstrong, John	Petition of Benjamin Totten and John McDaniel regarding land grants. Named in petition: John Carter, John McAnally, John Armstrong, John Sevier, & Col. William Polk.		1813	5	2
Armstrong, John	Petition of James Holland regarding a land grant. John Armstrong named in petition.		1815	43	
Armstrong, John	Petition of Thomas Jackson asking to be issued a duplicate land warrant. Named in petition, Thomas Dillion, John Armstrong, and Stockley Donelson.	Overton, Smith	1817	44	
Armstrong, Martin	Petition of William Bond regarding a duplicate land warrant. Martin Armstrong and George Doherty mentioned in the petition.		1815	74	

Armstrong, Martin	Petition of Margery Barber, executor of Joseph Barber, regarding a duplicate land warrant. Isaac Nichols and Martin Armstrong named in petition.		1817	41	
Armstrong, William	Petition of William Armstrong asking for a duplicate land grant.	Robertson	1813	21	1
Austin, Joseph	Petition of Daniel Treadway asking for a divorce from his wife, Rebecca Eaton Treadway. Affidavits of Michael Branner, Joseph Austin, & Rachel Eaton included.	Jefferson, Hawkins	1813	11	2
Baker, James	Petition of William Reynolds, James Baker, and William Houston regarding the turnpike from Sherill's Cove to Painted Rock on French Broad River.		1817	32	
Bank of Gallatin	Petition of Sumner County asking for establishment and incorporation of the Bank of Gallatin.	Sumner	1817	43	
Bank of Nashville	Petition from stockholders of the Bank of Nashville regarding changes in charters of incorporation.	Davidson	1815	57	
Barber, Joseph	Petition of Margery Barber, executor of Joseph Barber, regarding a duplicate land warrant. Isaac Nichols and Martin Armstrong named in petition.		1817	41	
Barber, Margery	Petition of Margery Barber, executor of Joseph Barber, regarding a duplicate land warrant. Isaac Nichols and Martin Armstrong named in petition.		1817	41	
Bargs, Robert	Petition of Thomas Shute asking duplicate land warrant. Named in Petition: Robert Bargs, Joseph Scurlock, John Overton & Joshua Hartley.		1813	34	1
Barker, Allen (Ensign)	Report of Lt. Col. Robert Jarmon certifying the election of Samuel H. Burton, Capt.; Samuel P. McFall, Lt.; and Allen Barker, Ensign; as officers for 38th Regiment.	Humphreys	1813	4	1
Barrow, Joseph	Petition of Joseph Barrow to buy part of Gallatin public square. Capt. William Hall and Capt. David Demert named in petition.	Sumner	1815	44	
Beach (Black) Creek	Petition of John Miller asking that he be permitted to build a small dam across Beach (Black) Creek. Eskridge Kinner named in petition.	Hawkins	1815	59	
Bean's Station, TN	Petition from Claiborne County asking that the state road from Bean's Station to Cumberland Gap become a turnpike.	Claiborne	1817	31	
Beans Station, TN	Petition from Claiborne County regarding condition of road from Tazewell to Beans Station and asking that it become State controlled.	Claiborne	1815	20	
Bedford County	Petition of Ransom Prewitt regarding land.	Bedford	1815	83	
Billiard's Tables	Petition asking permission for public house to keep billiard's tables. Increased revenue for the State cited as the reason for doing so.		1815	30	
Blackney, Thomas	Petition of Thomas Blackney asking Harriet, a Negro woman in his possession be freed. Also that her sons, Frederick, John & Tobias be given his name, Blackney, and their freedom once they reach the age of manhood.	Montgomery	1813	14	3
Bleavens, William	Petition of John Miser, Tobias Long, William Bleavens, Robert Long, John Julian and William Hail asking to be relieved of paying a criminal bond for Joseph Pate.	Bledsoe	1813	21	2
Bledsoe County	Petition of Alexander Coulter asking compensation for land conveyed for County Seat.	Bledsoe	1815	31	
Bledsoe County	Petition from Bledsoe County asking change in county line and for a permanent county seat.	Bledsoe	1815	33	
Bledsoe County, annexation	Petition of citizens of Sequatchee Valley asking they be annexed to Roane and White counties instead of Bledsoe County.	Bledsoe, Roane, White	1813	20	3
Blount, Willie (Governor)	Petition of John Warner asking that he be refunded certain money paid by him while sheriff of Bedford County. Named in petition: Jesse Clark, Jesse Evans, Gov. Willie Blount, and Dr. James Armstrong.	Bedford	1817	28	

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Blount, Willie (Governor)	Petition of Elizabeth Campbell, widow of David Campbell, regarding a land grant. (Copy of land grant signed by Gov. Willie Blount and the will of David Campbell with petition.)	Rhea	1817	88	
Bond, Stephen	Affidavits of Stephen Bond & David Rankin concerning a divorce for John and Sarah Dodd. Cumberland Ferguson named. (No petition. See Private Acts of TN 1822, Chapter 151, Section 2, page 124)	Greene	1817	39	
Bond, William	Petition of William Bond regarding a duplicate land warrant. Martin Armstrong and George Doherty mentioned in the petition.		1815	74	
Box, Joseph (Captain)	List of elected officers of 38th Militia Regiment: Captain, Joseph Box; Lieutenants, Wade Knight & Howard W. Turner; Ensigns, James Enloe & John H. Burton. Reported by Lt. Col. Robert Jarmon.	Humphreys	1817	76	
Boyles, Charles	Petition of the Trustees of Harpeth Academy asking the repeal of law which permitted lending of school funds to individuals. Named in petition: Charles McAlister, Stephen Childress, Abraham Maury, Robert P. Currin, John Read, John H. Eaton, Nicholas J. Perkins, Daniel Perkins, John Hardeman, Charles Boyles, and Garner McConnico.	Williamson	1813	31	1
Bradford, Benjamin (Sheriff)	Petition of Benjamin Bradford, sheriff and tax collector of Bedford County, asking compensation for his expenses.	Bedford	1815	85	
Bradford, James	Petition of James Bradford asking compensation for attending John Cocke's court martial.	Jefferson	1815	11	
Bradley, Thomas (Sheriff)	Petition of Thomas Bradley, Sheriff of Wilson County, asking reimbursement from the State for money he advanced for state taxes.	Wilson	1815	52	
Bradley, William	Petition of William Bradley regarding a land grant. Named in petition: William P. Anderson, Edward Thorsley, and William Dillon.	Franklin	1813	17	1
Branner, Michael	Petition of Daniel Treadway asking for a divorce from his wife, Rebecca Eaton Treadway. Affidavits of Michael Branner, Joseph Austin, & Rachel Eaton included.	Jefferson, Hawkins	1813	11	2
Brendine, Stephen	Petition of William Evans, Militia Capt., asking compensation for a gun impressed by him from Stephen Brendine of Overton County during the Creek Indian War. Major Lewis named as his commanding officer.	Overton	1815	58	
Bridge	Petition of Samuel Smith to build a toll bridge across Red River near Clarksville.	Montgomery	1813	11	3
Bridge	Petition of Lilburn L. Henderson asking to build a toll bridge across Obed River.		1815	45	
Brooks, Christopher	Petition of Christopher Brooks requesting permission to hawk and peddle without having to pay taxes.		1815	70	
Brooks, Samuel	Petition asking Samuel Brooks & Benjamin Smith be allowed to erect a mill/dam on Duck River.	Maury	1813	37	2b
Brown, (Captain)	Petition of Capt. Brown's Company asking that Aaron Davis & John Waller be appointed as Justice of the Peace for their district.	Claiborne	1817	62	
Brown, George	Petition of George Brown asking that he not be required to pay for certain arms impressed during the Creek Indian War. Major Alexander S. Outlaw named in petition.		1815	66	
Brown, Joseph	Petition of Joseph Brown requesting a refund for over payment of taxes. James Sevier and Thomas McCorrey mentioned in petition.	Washington	1813	14	1

Brown, Matthew	Petition of Michael C. Dunn, sheriff of Davidson County, asking payment for transporting John Rose to the jail of Winchester district. Rose was charged with stealing a Negro named Ralph from Matthew Brown.	Davidson	1815	40	
Brunstutter, (Mr.)	Petition regarding muster location. Named in petition: Francis Holler, Mr. Brunstutter, and Walter James.	Sullivan	1813	5	1
Burton, David	Petition of David & Samuel Burton asking permission to build a mill on Elk River.	Franklin	1815	23	
Burton, John H. (Ensign)	List of elected officers of 38th Militia Regiment: Captain, Joseph Box; Lieutenants, Wade Knight & Howard W. Turner; Ensigns, James Enloe & John H. Burton. Reported by Lt. Col. Robert Jarmon.	Humphreys	1817	76	
Burton, John H. (Major)	Result of election, 38th Militia Regiment, Second Major, John Lain. Named in petition: Brig. Gen. Thomas Johnson, Major John H. Burton.	Humphreys	1817	79	
Burton, Robert	Petition of Pleasant Henderson & Robert Burton, heirs of Richard Henderson, regarding a land grant. Named in petition: George Daugherty & James R. Rogers.	Warren	1817	24	
Burton, Samuel	Petition of David & Samuel Burton asking permission to build a mill on Elk River.	Franklin	1815	23	
Burton, Samuel H. (Captain)	Report of Lt. Col. Robert Jarmon certifying the election of Samuel H. Burton, Capt.; Samuel P. McFall, Lt.; and Allen Barker, Ensign; as officers for 38th Regiment.	Humphreys	1813	4	1
Butler, Thomas	Petition of Thomas Butler asking to open a turnpike road from Piles Road to Cumberland Road.		1817	82	
Cage, Edward	Petition of Edward Cage asking compensation for attending Williamson County Circuit Court as a state witness against Jonathan, David, and Perry Magness.	Williamson	1813	7	2
Cahey Fork River	Petition of Miles Davis asking that he be allowed to build a mill dam on Caney Fork River on the White and Warren County line.	White, Warren	1815	93	
Caldwell, Abriam (Justice of the Peace)	Petition asking legalization of the official acts of Abriam Caldwell, Justice of the Peace.	Dickson	1815	81	
Cameron, Duncan	Petition of Mary Cameron, widow of Duncan Cameron asking a duplicate land grant be issued so his estate can be settled. Will stipulated the land be sold and money divided equally among his daughters. (See also Jefferson County Will Book 1, page 343)	Jefferson, Davidson	1813	33	1
Cameron, Mary	Petition of Mary Cameron, widow of Duncan Cameron asking a duplicate land grant be issued so his estate can be settled. Will stipulated the land be sold and money divided equally among his daughters. (See also Jefferson County Will Book 1, page 343)	Jefferson, Davidson	1813	33	1
Campbell County	Petition asking the County Seat of Campbell County be moved to the center of the county.	Campbell	1813	19	3
Campbell County	Petition asking a change in the Campbell/Anderson County line.	Campbell, Anderson	1815	5	
Campbell County	Petition of Campbell County regarding the location of the courthouse and voting.	Campbell	1815	6	
Campbell, David	Petition of Elizabeth Campbell, widow of David Campbell, regarding a land grant. (Copy of land grant signed by Gov. Willie Blount and the will of David Campbell with petition.)	Rhea	1817	88	
Campbell, Elizabeth	Petition of Elizabeth Campbell, widow of David Campbell, regarding a land grant. (Copy of land grant signed by Gov. Willie Blount and the will of David Campbell with petition.)	Rhea	1817	88	
Campbell, John	Petition of John Strain and John Campbell, administrators of David Robertson, deceased, asking that they be absolved of debts owed by the deceased.		1815	69	

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Carlock, Abraham	Petition of Abraham Carlock asking to peddle & retail goods without being taxed.		1813	36	2
Carter County	Petition regarding the location of the county seat of Carter County. (Many signatures on this petition)	Carter	1815	97	
Carter, John	Petition of Benjamin Totten and John McDaniel regarding land grants. Named in petition: John Carter, John McAnally, John Armstrong, John Sevier, & Col. William Polk.		1813	5	2
Carthage, TN	Petition from the Town of Carthage asking to reduce size of public square.	Smith	1815	13	
Chaney, John	Petition of Thomas Mann regarding a land grant. John Chaney named in petition. Map & deposition of Joseph Cobb included.	Grainger	1817	57	
Charter, Holston Bank	Petition of David Deaderick, John Kennedy, & Adam McKee asking amendments to the charter of the Holston Bank.		1817	73	
Childress, Stephen	Petition of the Trustees of Harpeth Academy asking the repeal of law which permitted lending of school funds to individuals. Named in petition: Charles McAlister, Stephen Childress, Abraham Maury, Robert P. Currin, John Read, John H. Eaton, Nicholas J. Perkins, Daniel Perkins, John Hardeman, Charles Boyles, and Garner McConnico.	Williamson	1813	31	1
Chisum, James	Petition regarding road construction connecting Cumberland & Piles Turnpike. Named in petition: James Chisum, William Marchbanks, William Davidson.	Jackson, Overton, White	1817	80	
Chisum, James	Petition of James Chisum & William Marchbanks asking permission to construct a road from Piles Road to Walton Road.	Overton	1817	86	
Chisum, James (Major)	Petition from Jackson, Overton and White Counties asking that Major James Chisum and William Marchbanks be allowed to build a road from Piles Turnpike to intersect with Cumberland Turnpike.	Jackson, Overton, White	1817	69	
Christy, Isaac	Petition of John Anderson asking to legalize son, Isaac Christy. Also named in petition: Margaret Christy.	Carter	1813	29	2
Christy, Margaret	Petition of John Anderson asking to legalize son, Isaac Christy. Also named in petition: Margaret Christy.	Carter	1813	29	2
Claiborne County, roads	Petition from Claiborne County regarding condition of road from Tazewell to Beans Station and asking that it become State controlled.	Claiborne	1815	20	
Clark, Jesse	Petition of John Warner asking that he be refunded certain money paid by him while sheriff of Bedford County. Named in petition: Jesse Clark, Jesse Evans, Gov. Willie Blount, and Dr. James Armstrong.	Bedford	1817	28	
Clay, Matthew	Petition asking that Matthew Clay be paid for labor of his slaves on the Cumberland Turnpike.		1815	29	
Clayton, Jesse	Petition from Knox County regarding the establishment of new election precinct at the home of Jesse Clayton.	Knox	1815	80	
Cleriton, Thomas (Colonel)	Petition of Isaac A. Ward asking compensation for services ordered by Col. Thomas Cleriton to guide a West Tennessee Militia expedition. Names that appear in the Petition text: James Tagent, B. Cooper, Thomas Johnson		1815	48	
Cobb, Asa	Petition of Asa & William Cobb asking permission to build road from a point near William Davidson's home in Roane County to Johnson's Old Stand on Old Cumberland Road.	Roane	1817	66	
Cobb, Joseph	Petition of Thomas Mann regarding a land grant. John Chaney named in petition. Map & deposition of Joseph Cobb included.	Grainger	1817	57	



Cobb, William	Petition of Asa & William Cobb asking permission to build road from a point near William Davidson's home in Roane County to Johnson's Old Stand on Old Cumberland Road.	Roane	1817	66	
Cocke County, boundaries	Report of committee on the petition of inhabitants of Greene County asking that a part of Cocke County that was taken from Greene County and annexed to the County of Cocke be re-annexed to the County of Greene.	Greene, Cocke	1813	16	1
Cocke, John (General)	Petition of James White asking compensation for appearing at Gen. John Cocke's court martial.	Knox	1815	10	
Cocke, John (General)	Petition of James Bradford asking compensation for attending John Cocke's court martial.	Jefferson	1815	11	
Cocke, John (Sheriff)	Petition of John Cocke, Sheriff of Montgomery County asking to be repaid money he advanced for taxes.	Montgomery	1815	36	
Cocke, William	Petition of James White and George McNutt asking that they be paid for attending impeachment of William Cocke.	Knox	1813	20	2
Cocke, William W.	Petition of John Dickinson and William W. Cocke asking that the Nashville Library Association be incorporated.	Davidson	1813	18	3
Coffee, John (General)	Petition from the town of Jefferson in Rutherford County regarding the navigation of Stones River, removal of seat of Justice from Jefferson to Murfreesborough, etc. Named in the petition are Gen. John Coffee, Col. G. H. Gibson, and Capt. J. N. Read.	Rutherford	1815	15	
Coleman, Joseph (Esquire)	Petition requesting changes in the method of conducting county court. Named in petition: Joel Lewis, George Wharton, Cary Felts, Elihu S. Hall, Philip Pipkin, Christopher Stump, Benajah Gray, Candour McFaddin, Robert Hewitt, Thomas Hickman and Joseph Coleman, Esquires.	Davidson	1813	18	2
Columbia, TN	Petition asking the town of Columbia be incorporated.	Maury	1813	39	2
Columbia, TN, incorporation	Petition from Maury County asking that a branch of the state bank be established in Columbia; the town of Columbia be incorporated; that Edward W. Dale, James Walker, and Samuel McDowell be appointed as Justices of the Peace.	Maury	1817	52	
Convention's Ferry	Petition from Greene County asking John Runnor be appointed commissioner to lay off turnpike leading from Convention's Ferry to Warm Springs.	Greene	1817	68	
Cook, Austin	Petition of John Holshouser asking compensation for wagon and team lost in Cherokee country. Murder of Vincent Davis mentioned in petition. (Affidavits of Austin Cook & William Cunningham)	Lincoln	1817	37	
Cooper, B.	Petition of Isaac A. Ward asking compensation for services ordered by Col. Thomas Cleriton to guide a West Tennessee Militia expedition. Names that appear in the Petition text: James Tagent, B. Cooper, Thomas Johnson.		1815	48	
Copeland, Joseph	Petition of Zacharis Copeland & other heirs of Joseph Copeland, deceased, regarding a land warrant.		1817	78	
Copeland, Stephen, (Colonel)	Petition asking that Col. Stephen Copeland be allowed to raise a troop of 500 mounted men for service in Indian War.	Overton	1813	31	3
Copeland, Zacharis	Petition of Zacharis Copeland & other heirs of Joseph Copeland, deceased, regarding a land warrant.		1817	78	
Coulter, Alexander	Petition of Alexander Coulter asking compensation for land conveyed for County Seat.	Bledsoe	1815	31	
Court Martial	Petition of James White asking compensation for appearing at Gen. John Cocke's court martial.	Knox	1815	10	
Court Martial	Petition of James Bradford asking compensation for attending John Cocke's court martial.	Jefferson	1815	11	

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Court Martial	Petition of John W. Gamble, Judge Advocate, asking compensation for members of court martial of Brigadier General Samuel H. Williams. Gov. Joseph McMinn named.		1817	42	
Coward, Absalom	Petition of Thomas Hickman regarding a duplicate land warrant. Absalom Coward named in petition.		1817	40	
Cox, William	Petition of Captain Tucker's Company asking William Cox be appointed Justice of the Peace to replace Adam Peck, deceased.	Jefferson	1817	49	
Craig, David	Petition for the heirs of David Craig asking duplicate land grant in Maury County.	Maury	1815	32	
Crawley, (Mrs.)	Petition asking that Tandy Walker be compensated for the rescue of Mrs. Crawley from the Creek Indians. (Miss. Territory)	Washington	1815	53	
Cumberland College	Petition of John McNairy for the Board of Trustees of Cumberland College asking permission to regulate against invasion of privacy by individuals.	Wilson	1813	8	2
Cumberland College	Petition from Trustees of Cumberland College asking that the land law of 1806 pertaining to the establishment of two colleges be complied with.	Wilson	1815	62	
Cumberland Lodge of Mason	Petition of members of the Cumberland Lodge of Masons asking to conduct lottery to finance a Masonic Hall in Nashville.	Davidson	1813	9	2
Cumberland Road	Petition of Thomas Butler asking to open a turnpike road from Piles Road to Cumberland Road.		1817	82	
Cumberland Turnpike	Petition of Col. William Davidson to construct a road connecting Pile and Cumberland Turnpike.		1815	61	
Cumberland Turnpike	Petition asking that a company be chartered to keep Roane County portion of Cumberland Turnpike.	Roane	1817	36	
Cunningham, William	Petition of John Holshouser asking compensation for wagon and team lost in Cherokee country. Murder of Vincent Davis mentioned in petition. (Affidavits of Austin Cook & William Cunningham)	Lincoln	1817	37	
Currin, Robert P.	Petition of the Trustees of Harpeth Academy asking the repeal of law which permitted lending of school funds to individuals. Named in petition: Charles McAlister, Stephen Childress, Abraham Maury, Robert P. Currin, John Read, John H. Eaton, Nicholas J. Perkins, Daniel Perkins, John Hardeman, Charles Boyles, and Garner McConnico.	Williamson	1813	31	1
Dabney, John	Petition of Roger B. Sappington asking that a certain land warrant ruling be left to the Williamson County Circuit Court. Named in petition: John Dabney, Peter Edwards, David Gee, Joseph Sheelor, and heirs of Jacob Sheta.	Williamson	1813	28	1
Dale, Edward W.	Petition from Maury County asking that a branch of the state bank be established in Columbia; the town of Columbia be incorporated; that Edward W. Dale, James Walker, and Samuel McDowell be appointed as Justices of the Peace.	Maury	1817	52	
Dam	Petition asking Samuel Brooks & Benjamin Smith be allowed to erect a mill/dam on Duck River.	Maury	1813	37	2b
Dam	Petition of James E. Williams to build a mill dam on Stones River.	Davidson	1815	49	
Dam	Petition of John Miller asking that he be permitted to build a small dam across Beach (Black) Creek. Eskridge Kinner named in petition.	Hawkins	1815	59	
Dam	Petition of David Allen asking permission to build a mill dam on Stones River.	Davidson	1815	60	

Dam	Petition of Miles Davis asking that he be allowed to build a mill dam on Caney Fork River on the White and Warren County line.	White, Warren	1815	93	
Daugherty, George	Petition of Pleasant Henderson & Robert Burton, heirs of Richard Henderson, regarding a land grant. Named in petition: George Daugherty & James R. Rogers.	Warren	1817	24	
Davidson County, Annexation	Petition asking that certain lands in Davidson County be annexed to Williamson County.	Davidson, Williamson	1815	72	
Davidson, Starkly	Petition of Adam Meeks regarding a land grant. Starkly Davidson named in petition.		1815	42	
Davidson, William	Petition asking that William Davidson be permitted to open and maintain a turnpike road.		1813	33	2
Davidson, William	Petition of William Wall asking permission to build a turnpike road from a point near William Davidson's home in Roane County to Standing Stone.	Roane	1817	64	
Davidson, William	Petition of Asa & William Cobb asking permission to build road from a point near William Davidson's home in Roane County to Johnson's Old Stand on Old Cumberland Road.	Roane	1817	66	
Davidson, William	Petition of William Davidson asking permission to build a turnpike road from Pyles Turnpike to Walton Road.	Roane	1817	67	
Davidson, William	Petition regarding road construction connecting Cumberland & Piles Turnpike. Named in petition: James Chisum, William Marchbanks, William Davidson.	Jackson, Overton, White	1817	80	
Davidson, William (Colonel)	Petition of Col. William Davidson to construct a road connecting Pile and Cumberland Turnpike.		1815	61	
Davis, Aaron	Petition of Capt. Brown's Company asking that Aaron Davis & John Waller be appointed as Justice of the Peace for their district.	Claiborne	1817	62	
Davis, Eliza	Petition of James Doherty asking that his illegitimate daughter, Eliza Davis be given his name, Eliza Campbell Doherty.		1813	12	3
Davis, James	Petition of James Davis regarding land grant of Joshua Davis. Named in petition: Edwin Hickman, surveyor; Thomas Hickman.		1813	1	2
Davis, Joshua	Petition of James Davis regarding land grant of Joshua Davis. Named in petition: Edwin Hickman, surveyor; Thomas Hickman.		1813	1	2
Davis, Miles	Petition of Miles Davis asking that he be allowed to build a mill dam on Caney Fork River on the White and Warren County line.	White, Warren	1815	93	
Davis, Vincent	Petition of John Holshouser asking compensation for wagon and team lost in Cherokee country. Murder of Vincent Davis mentioned in petition. (Affidavits of Austin Cook & William Cunningham)	Lincoln	1817	37	
Deaderick, David	Petition of David Deaderick, John Kennedy, & Adam McKee asking amendments to the charter of the Holston Bank.		1817	73	
Dearmon, Richard	Petition of Hugh and Charles Kelso to establish town of Portville on their lands. Also names William Lowry, James J. Greene, John Eakins, Richard Dearmon, Matthew Wallace, James Wyly & John Lambert as commissioners of the town.	Blount	1813	11	1
Demert, David (Captain)	Petition of Joseph Barrow to buy part of Gallatin public square. Capt. William Hall and Capt. David Demert named in petition.	Sumner	1815	44	
Dickinson, John	Petition of John Dickinson and William W. Cocke asking that the Nashville Library Association be incorporated.	Davidson	1813	18	3
Dickson, John	Petition of John Dickson asking compensation for making transcripts of Rutherford County land grants for Commissioners of West Tennessee.	Rutherford	1813	25	1



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Dillahunty, Lewis (Major)	Petition of Major Lewis Dillahunty recommending militia changes.		1813	27	2
Dillion, Thomas	Petition of Thomas Jackson asking to be issued a duplicate land warrant. Named in petition, Thomas Dillion, John Armstrong, and Stockley Donelson.	Overton, Smith	1817	44	
Dillon, William	Petition of William Bradley regarding a land grant. Named in petition: William P. Anderson, Edward Thorsley, and William Dillon.	Franklin	1813	17	1
Divorce	Petition of Denson Fields asking for a divorce from his wife, Rachel Petty Fields. Also named: William Petty.	Overton	1813	1	1
Divorce	Petition of Daniel Treadway asking for a divorce from his wife, Rebecca Eaton Treadway. Affidavits of Michael Branner, Joseph Austin, & Rachel Eaton included.	Jefferson, Hawkins	1813	11	2
Divorce	Petition of Rebeccah Stuart asking for a divorce from her husband, William Stuart.	Greene	1813	15	2
Divorce	Petition of Elizabeth Ortto asking for a divorce from her husband, Frederick Ortto.		1813	16	2
Divorce	Petition from Nancy Reese asking for a divorce from her husband, Jesse Reece. Named in petition: Jonathan York.	Bedford	1813	26	3
Divorce	Petition of Chloe Hendry asking for a divorce from her husband, William Hendry.	Washington	1813	28	2
Divorce	Petition of James Patterson asking a divorce from his wife Jersey Massey Patterson. William James named in petition. Statements by Mary Johnson, Solomon Grice & James Latimer.	Stewart	1817	22	
Divorce	Affidavits of Stephen Bond & David Rankin concerning a divorce for John and Sarah Dodd. Cumberland Fergason named. (No petition. See Private Acts of TN 1822, Chapter 151, Section 2, page 124)	Greene	1817	39	
Divorce	Petition of Prudence Sanders asking a divorce from her husband, James Sanders.	Maury	1817	58	
Dodd, John	Affidavits of Stephen Bond & David Rankin concerning a divorce for John and Sarah Dodd. Cumberland Fergason named. (No petition. See Private Acts of TN 1822, Chapter 151, Section 2, page 124)	Greene	1817	39	
Dodd, Sarah	Affidavits of Stephen Bond & David Rankin concerning a divorce for John and Sarah Dodd. Cumberland Fergason named. (No petition. See Private Acts of TN 1822, Chapter 151, Section 2, page 124)	Greene	1817	39	
Doherty, Eliza Campbell	Petition of James Doherty asking that his illegitimate daughter, Eliza Davis be given his name, Eliza Campbell Doherty.		1813	12	3
Doherty, George	Petition of William Bond regarding a duplicate land warrant. Martin Armstrong and George Doherty mentioned in the petition.		1815	74	
Doherty, James	Petition of James Doherty asking that his illegitimate daughter, Eliza Davis be given his name, Eliza Campbell Doherty.		1813	12	3
Donelson, Stockley	Petition of Thomas Jackson asking to be issued a duplicate land warrant. Named in petition, Thomas Dillion, John Armstrong, and Stockley Donelson.	Overton, Smith	1817	44	
Donelson, Stockley	Petition of Ezekiel Henry regarding a duplicate land grant. Stockley Donelson named.		1817	60	
Donelson, Stokely	Petition of William Lytle for the heirs of Archabald Lytle regarding a land grant. Named in petition: Stokely Donelson	Washington	1813	35	1
Dowdy, Howell (Ranger)	Petition of Howell Dowdy, ranger of Bedford County, asking repeal of Rangers Law of 1815.	Bedford	1817	27	

Duck River	Petition asking Samuel Brooks & Benjamin Smith be allowed to erect a mill/dam on Duck River.	Maury	1813	37	2b
Dunn, Michael C. (Sheriff)	Petition of Michael C. Dunn, sheriff of Davidson County, asking payment for transporting John Rose to the jail of Winchester district. Rose was charged with stealing a Negro named Ralph from Matthew Brown. .	Davidson	1815	40	
Dyer, Joel	Petition of Neal B. Rose, Thomas Toppington, James L. Armstrong, Archibald H. Harris, Joel Dyer, George R. Nash, Thomas Mitchell, David Patton, & George Simpson asking that the county seat be returned to the town of Jefferson or they be refunded money for lots purchased. Also named: William Quisenberry, surveyor.	Rutherford	1813	27	1
Eakins, John	Petition of Hugh and Charles Kelso to establish town of Portville on their lands. Also names William Lowry, James J. Greene, John Eakins, Richard Dearmon, Matthew Wallace, James Wyly & John Lambert as commissioners of the town.	Blount	1813	11	1
Eaton, John H.	Petition of the Trustees of Harpeth Academy asking the repeal of law which permitted lending of school funds to individuals. Named in petition: Charles McAlister, Stephen Childress, Abraham Maury, Robert P. Currin, John Read, John H. Eaton, Nicholas J. Perkins, Daniel Perkins, John Hardeman, Charles Boyles, and Garner McConnico.	Williamson	1813	31	1
Eaton, Rachel	Petition of Daniel Treadway asking for a divorce from his wife, Rebecca Eaton Treadway. Affidavits of Michael Branner, Joseph Austin, & Rachel Eaton included.	Jefferson, Hawkins	1813	11	2
Edington, James	Petition of James Edington, a U. S. Mail contractor, asking improvement of road from Daddy's Creek to Sparta. John Sympson (Simpson) named in petition.		1817	29	
Edmundson, Robert	Petition of Thomas Wright regarding land warrant for service in surveying the military demarcation line. Also named: Robert Edmundson, Daniel Frazier, General Rutherford, and Captain Looney.	Bedford	1813	36	1
Edwards, John	Petition of George W. Sanders asking compensation for his slave, Jessee, wrongfully executed. Also named: Samuel Smith, John Edwards.	Warren, Rutherford	1813	30	2
Edwards, Peter	Petition of Roger B. Sappington asking that a certain land warrant ruling be left to the Williamson County Circuit Court. Named in petition: John Dabney, Peter Edwards, David Gee, Joseph Sheelor, and heirs of Jacob Sheta.	Williamson	1813	28	1
Election	Petition of Joseph McReynolds contesting the election of Representatives of Bledsoe County to the General Assembly of Tennessee.	Bledsoe	1815	55	
Elections	Petition of North East corner of Warren County asking for a new election precinct to be established.	Warren	1813	29	3
Elections	Petition from Knox County regarding the establishment of new election precinct at the home of Jesse Clayton.	Knox	1815	80	
Elk River	Petition regarding John Hereford and the construction of a mill on Elk River.	Franklin	1813	25	3
Elk River	Petition of David & Samuel Burton asking permission to build a mill on Elk River.	Franklin	1815	23	
Emancipation	Petition of Thomas Blackney asking Harriet, a Negro woman in his possession be freed. Also that her sons, Frederick, John & Tobias be given his name, Blackney, and their freedom once they reach the age of manhood.	Montgomery	1813	14	3
Emancipation	Petition requesting a law be passed to abolish slavery.		1815	77	
Emancipation	Petitions asking the legislature to pass laws to promote emancipation of slaves in Tennessee. (Many petitions in this folder.)		1817	90	

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Enloe, James (Ensign)	List of elected officers of 38th Militia Regiment: Captain, Joseph Box; Lieutenants, Wade Knight & Howard W. Turner; Ensigns, James Enloe & John H. Burton. Reported by Lt. Col. Robert Jarmon.	Humphreys	1817	76	
Estate Settlement	Petition of John Strain and John Campbell, administrators of David Robertson, deceased, asking that they be absolved of debts owed by the deceased.		1815	69	
Evans, Jesse	Petition of John Warner asking that he be refunded certain money paid by him while sheriff of Bedford County. Named in petition: Jesse Clark, Jesse Evans, Gov. Willie Blount, and Dr. James Armstrong.	Bedford	1817	28	
Evans, William (Captain)	Petition of William Evans, Militia Capt., asking compensation for a gun impressed by him from Stephen Brendine of Overton County during the Creek Indian War. Major Lewis named as his commanding officer.	Overton	1815	58	
Evans, William G.	Petition of William G. Evans asking to hawk and peddle in the counties of West Tennessee without being tax.		1813	23	2
Execution	Petition of Col. George W. Sanders asking compensation for a Negro man named Jesse executed by State for stealing property from Mr. Samuel Smith of Rutherford County.	White, Rutherford	1813	24	3
Execution	Petition of George W. Sanders asking compensation for his slave, Jessee, wrongfully executed. Also named: Samuel Smith, John Edwards.	Warren, Rutherford	1813	30	2
Farmer, John	Petition asking pardon for John Farmer charged with libel.	Humphreys	1815	26	
Fayetteville Turnpike Bank	Petition of stockholders in the Fayetteville Turnpike Bank asking modification to rules regarding payments to the corporation.	Lincoln	1817	19	
Fees, Constable	Petition from Greene County asking that Constable fees be reduced.	Greene	1813	17	2
Fees, Jailer	Petition of William J. Lynes, jailer of Robertson District, asking to be paid certain fees. Others mentioned in petition text: Nathaniel Thomes, Stewart McThornton, and Jacob Pickering Robertson.	Robertson	1815	39	
Felts, Cary (Esquire)	Petition requesting changes in the method of conducting county court. Named in petition: Joel Lewis, George Wharton, Cary Felts, Elihu S. Hall, Philip Pipkin, Christopher Stump, Benajah Gray, Candour McFaddin, Robert Hewitt, Thomas Hickman and Joseph Coleman, Esquires.	Davidson	1813	18	2
Ferguson, Cumberland	Affidavits of Stephen Bond & David Rankin concerning a divorce for John and Sarah Dodd. Cumberland Ferguson named. (No petition. See Private Acts of TN 1822, Chapter 151, Section 2, page 124)	Greene	1817	39	
Fields, Denson	Petition of Denson Fields asking for a divorce from his wife, Rachel Petty Fields. Also named: William Petty.	Overton	1813	1	1
Fields, Rachel Petty	Petition of Denson Fields asking for a divorce from his wife, Rachel Petty Fields. Also named: William Petty.	Overton	1813	1	1
Fisher, (Captain)	Petition of Captain Fisher's Company of the 42 Regiment asking they be allowed to muster with the 17th Regiment rather than the 42nd..	Wilson	1813	19	2
Fisher, (Captain)	Petition of Captain Fisher's Company, 42nd Regiment, TN Militia asking reassignment to 17th Regiment because of distance traveled for musters.	Wilson	1815	18	
Fisher, John	Petition of Ensign Joseph A. Martin asking relief from payment of fine for John Fisher.	Williamson	1813	12	1
Fisk, Moses	Petition of Moses Fisk asking to be authorized to construct a turnpike road. Roaring River named in text of petition.		1815	1	

Fisks, Moses	Petition of Moses Fisks regarding lands.		1815	91	
Franklin County, boundaries	Petition from certain citizens regarding the county line between Warren and Franklin Counties. Alexander Perryman named as surveyor.	Warren, Franklin	1815	71	
Frazier, Daniel	Petition of Thomas Wright regarding land warrant for service in surveying the military demarcation line. Also named: Robert Edmundson, Daniel Frazier, General Rutherford, and Captain Looney.	Bedford	1813	36	1
Hall, Joshua (free man of color)	Petition from Greene County asking that Joshua Hall, a man of color, be allowed to prove his accounts.	Greene	1817	75	
Sherwood, Brian (free Negro)	Petition asking that Brian Sherwood, a free Negro, be given full rights of citizenship.	Davidson	1815	65	
French Broad River	Petition of William Reynolds, James Baker, and William Houston regarding the turnpike from Sherill's Cove to Painted Rock on French Broad River.		1817	32	
Gallatin, TN	Petition of Joseph Barrow to buy part of Gallatin public square. Capt. William Hall and Capt. David Demert named in petition.	Sumner	1815	44	
Gamble, John W. (Judge Advocate)	Petition of John W. Gamble, Judge Advocate, asking compensation for members of court martial of Brigadier General Samuel H. Williams. Gov. Joseph McMinn named.		1817	42	
Gantt, Robert	Petition of Robert Gantt asking permission to build an iron works on Little River. John Walker named in petition.	Blount	1817	85	
Gee, David	Petition of Roger B. Sappington asking that a certain land warrant ruling be left to the Williamson County Circuit Court. Named in petition: John Dabney, Peter Edwards, David Gee, Joseph Sheelor, and heirs of Jacob Sheta.	Williamson	1813	28	1
Gibson, G. H. (Colonel)	Petition from the town of Jefferson in Rutherford County regarding the navigation of Stones River, removal of seat of Justice from Jefferson to Murfreesborough, etc. Named in the petition are Gen. John Coffee, Col. G. H. Gibson, and Capt. J. N. Read.	Rutherford	1815	15	
Giles County	Petition asking the names of Anderson and Giles Counties be changed to Pike and Lawrence Counties.	Anderson, Giles	1813	19	1
Gillantime, Nicholas	Petition of Nichols Gillantine and W. P. White regarding a land warrant. Named in petition: John Jett, Esq.; William Samples & General Bird Smith.	White	1817	72	
Gillespie, John	Petition of John Gillespie regarding his iron works and lands restrictions.	Blount	1815	24	
Gillespie, Thomas	Petition of Thomas Gillespie of Washington County regarding a North Carolina land grant in Hawkins County.	Washington, Hawkins	1815	12	
Goode, Samuel	Petition of Samuel Goode asking compensation for transferring the sick of General Andrew Jackson's army from Greenville to Nashville in 1812.	Davidson	1813	6	2
Gooding, Benjamin	Petition of Joel Lewis regarding a land grant for Joel Lewis, William Snoodly & Benjamin Gooding.	Davidson	1813	15	1
Gordon, George	Petition of George Gordon asking permission to open a road across the Cumberland Mts. through Loyd's Gap.	Greene	1817	33	
Gordon, George	Petition protesting the obstruction of Navigation on the Nolichucky River by George Gordon's mill and various fish traps.	Washington	1817	51	
Graves, William	Petition from White County asking the petition of Peter Hootenpile to establish & keep a turnpike & toll gate on the road from Bledsoe County courthouse across Cumberland Mts. To William Graves be rejected. (148 names).	White	1813	21	3

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Gray, Benajah (Esquire)	Petition requesting changes in the method of conducting county court. Named in petition: Joel Lewis, George Wharton, Cary Felts, Elihu S. Hall, Philip Pipkin, Christopher Stump, Benajah Gray, Candour McFaddin, Robert Hewitt, Thomas Hickman and Joseph Coleman, Esquires.	Davidson	1813	18	2
Gray, Thomas	Petition of Thomas Gray asking compensation for a horse lost by him in the War of 1812. Gen. Jackson & Capt. Haggard named.	Stewart	1817	55	
Greene County, boundaries	Report of committee on the petition of inhabitants of Greene County asking that a part of Cocke County that was taken from Greene County and annexed to the County of Cocke be re-annexed to the County of Greene.	Greene, Cocke	1813	16	1
Greene, James J.	Petition of Hugh and Charles Kelso to establish town of Portville on their lands. Also names William Lowry, James J. Greene, John Eakins, Richard Dearmon, Matthew Wallace, James Wyly & John Lambert as commissioners of the town.	Blount	1813	11	1
Greenville College	Petition from Greenville College asking state aid for the college.	Greene	1815	28	
Grice, Solomon	Petition of James Patterson asking a divorce from his wife Jersey Massey Patterson. William James named in petition. Statements by Mary Johnson, Solomon Grice & James Latimer.	Stewart	1817	22	
Grooms, James	Petition asking that James Grooms citizenship be restored.	Bedford	1813	30	3
Gunn, Daniel	Petition of Daniel Gunn asking for a land grant. Named in petition: Samuel Alexander, John Watson, Thomas Gunn, and Asa Mason.	Robertson	1817	23	
Gunn, James	Petition of James Gunn regarding a land grant.		1815	41	
Gunn, Thomas	Petition of Daniel Gunn asking for a land grant. Named in petition: Samuel Alexander, John Watson, Thomas Gunn, and Asa Mason.	Robertson	1817	23	
Haggard, (Captain)	Petition of Thomas Gray asking compensation for a horse lost by him in the War of 1812. Gen. Jackson & Capt. Haggard named.	Stewart	1817	55	
Hail, William	Petition of John Miser, Tobias Long, William Bleavens, Robert Long, John Julian and William Hail asking to be relieved of paying a criminal bond for Joseph Pate.	Bledsoe	1813	21	2
Hall, Elihu S. (Esquire)	Petition requesting changes in the method of conducting county court. Named in petition: Joel Lewis, George Wharton, Cary Felts, Elihu S. Hall, Philip Pipkin, Christopher Stump, Benajah Gray, Candour McFaddin, Robert Hewitt, Thomas Hickman and Joseph Coleman, Esquires.	Davidson	1813	18	2
Hall, William (Captain)	Petition of Joseph Barrow to buy part of Gallatin public square. Capt. William Hall and Capt. David Demert named in petition.	Sumner	1815	44	
Hamilton, Samuel (free Negro)	Petition regarding Samuel Hamilton, a free Negro, asking to prove his accounts. (Accompanied with a petition of 136 citizens of Washington County supporting his request and statement of Thomas McMackin.)	Washington	1813	16	3
Handlely, Joel	Petition from militia companies asking the appointment of Justices of the Peace; Town Company, Jesse Harris; Captain Richard Jones Company, Moses Ray; and Capt. Kenida's Company, Joel Handley.	Warren	1817	53	
Hardeman, Constant	Petition of Constant Hardeman asking compensation for services rendered at the request of Enoch Parsons, Attorney General of East Tenn. George W. L. Marr also named in petition.		1815	63	



Hardeman, John	Petition of the Trustees of Harpeth Academy asking the repeal of law which permitted lending of school funds to individuals. Named in petition: Charles McAlister, Stephen Childress, Abraham Maury, Robert P. Currin, John Read, John H. Eaton, Nicholas J. Perkins, Daniel Perkins, John Hardeman, Charles Boyles, and Garner McConnico.	Williamson	1813	31	1
Hargess, Aaron	Petition of John Hargess, Aaron Hargess, William Hargess, Jeremiah Taylor and William Vaughn asking that they be donated 3,000 acres of land near salt well if they strike salt water.	Smith	1815	88	
Hargess, John	Petition of John Hargess, Aaron Hargess, William Hargess, Jeremiah Taylor and William Vaughn asking that they be donated 3,000 acres of land near salt well if they strike salt water.	Smith	1815	88	
Hargess, William	Petition of John Hargess, Aaron Hargess, William Hargess, Jeremiah Taylor and William Vaughn asking that they be donated 3,000 acres of land near salt well if they strike salt water.	Smith	1815	88	
Harpeth Academy	Petition of the Trustees of Harpeth Academy asking the repeal of law which permitted lending of school funds to individuals. Named in petition: Charles McAlister, Stephen Childress, Abraham Maury, Robert P. Currin, John Read, John H. Eaton, Nicholas J. Perkins, Daniel Perkins, John Hardeman, Charles Boyles, and Garner McConnico.	Williamson	1813	31	1
Harris, Archibald H.	Petition of Neal B. Rose, Thomas Toppington, James L. Armstrong, Archibald H. Harris, Joel Dyer, George R. Nash, Thomas Mitchell, David Patton, & George Simpson asking that the county seat be returned to the town of Jefferson or they be refunded money for lots purchased. Also named: William Quisenberry, surveyor.	Rutherford	1813	27	1
Harris, Jesse	Petition from militia companies asking the appointment of Justices of the peace; Town Company, Jesse Harris; Captain Richard Jones Company, Moses Ray; and Capt. Kenida's Company, Joel Handley.	Warren	1817	53	
Hartley, Joshua	Petition of Thomas Shute asking duplicate land warrant. Named in Petition: Robert Bargs, Joseph Scurlock, John Overton & Joshua Hartley.		1813	34	1
Hawkins County	Petition asking for the establishment of a bank in Hawkins County.	Hawkins	1817	21	
Heard, Reuben	Petition of Thomas Mitchell, sheriff of Cocke County, asking compensation for transporting Reuben Heard to Claiborne County.	Cocke Claiborne	1815	47	
Helm, Adam	Petition of Adam Helms asking permission to cut a road connecting Piles Turnpike with the Cumberland Turnpike.		1817	30	
Henderson, Lilburn L.	Petition of Lilburn L. Henderson asking to build a toll bridge across Obed River.		1815	45	
Henderson, Pleasant	Petition of Pleasant Henderson & Robert Burton, heirs of Richard Henderson, regarding a land grant. Named in petition: George Daugherty & James R. Rogers.	Warren	1817	24	
Henderson, Richard	Petition of Pleasant Henderson & Robert Burton, heirs of Richard Henderson, regarding a land grant. Named in petition: George Daugherty & James R. Rogers.	Warren	1817	24	
Hendry, Abraham	Petition of Abraham Hendry & John Miller asking to conduct a lottery to finance drilling for salt water at the head of Indian Creek.	Carter	1813	35	2
Hendry, Chloe	Petition of Chloe Hendry asking for a divorce from her husband, William Hendry.	Washington	1813	28	2
Hendry, William	Petition of Chloe Hendry asking for a divorce from her husband, William Hendry.	Washington	1813	28	2

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Henry, Ezekiel	Petition of Ezekiel Henry regarding a duplicate land grant. Stockley Donelson named.		1817	60	
Henry, Robert	Petition of Robert Henry for heirs of Robert Alexander asking duplicate land warrant.	Haywood	1817	48	
Henry, Samuel	Petition of Samuel Henry asking for a duplicate land warrant.	Blount	1817	87	
Hereford, John	Petition regarding John Hereford and the construction of a mill on Elk River.	Franklin	1813	25	3
Hewitt, Robert (Esquire)	Petition requesting changes in the method of conducting county court. Named in petition: Joel Lewis, George Wharton, Cary Felts, Elihu S. Hall, Philip Pipkin, Christopher Stump, Benajah Gray, Candour McFaddin, Robert Hewitt, Thomas Hickman and Joseph Coleman, Esquires.	Davidson	1813	18	2
Hickman, Edwin	Petition of O. Williams regarding a land claim of the underage heirs of Edwin Hickman. (Estate settlement)		1813	26	2
Hickman, Edwin	Petition of John P. Hickman asking the issue of a land warrant to the heirs of Edwin Hickman.		1815	34	
Hickman, Edwin (Surveyor)	Petition of James Davis regarding land grant of Joshua Davis. Named in petition: Edwin Hickman, surveyor; Thomas Hickman.		1813	1	2
Hickman, John P.	Petition of John P. Hickman asking the issue of a land warrant to the heirs of Edwin Hickman.		1815	34	
Hickman, Thomas	Petition of James Davis regarding land grant of Joshua Davis. Named in petition: Edwin Hickman, surveyor; Thomas Hickman.		1813	1	2
Hickman, Thomas	Petition of Thomas Hickman regarding a duplicate land warrant. Absalom Coward named in petition.		1817	40	
Hickman, Thomas (Esquire)	Petition requesting changes in the method of conducting county court. Named in petition: Joel Lewis, George Wharton, Cary Felts, Elihu S. Hall, Philip Pipkin, Christopher Stump, Benajah Gray, Candour McFaddin, Robert Hewitt, Thomas Hickman and Joseph Coleman, Esquires.	Davidson	1813	18	2
Hill, William	Petition of William Hill regarding duplicate land grant in West Tennessee. James Martin named in petition.		1813	22	3
Hillsman, John	Petition of John Hillsman asking change in land taxation.		1815	22	
Hobbs, Edward A. (Jailer)	Petition of Edward A. Hobbs, jailer of Davidson County, asking compensation for keeping a prisoner, Jonathan Magness.	Davidson	1813	6	3
Holland, James	Petition of James Holland regarding a land grant. John Armstrong named in petition.		1815	43	
Holland, John (Colonel)	Petition of Col. John Holland & others asking to form a Ranger Company to protect Hickman and Humphreys Counties from Indians.	Hickman, Humphreys	1813	29	1
Holler, Francis	Petition regarding muster location. Named in petition: Francis Holler, Mr. Brunstutter, and Walter James.	Sullivan	1813	5	1
Holshouser, John	Petition of John Holshouser asking compensation for wagon and team lost in Cherokee country. Murder of Vincent Davis mentioned in petition. (Affidavits of Austin Cook & William Cunningham)	Lincoln	1817	37	
Holston Bank	Petition from East Tenn. asking that a bank be established and known as the Holston Bank.	Carter	1815	46	
Hoodenpyl, Peter	Petition of Peter Hoodenpyl asking permission to repair and maintain a road over the Cumberland Mts. and erect toll gate(s).	White, Warren, Bledsoe	1813	28	3
Hoodenpyl, Philip	Petition of Philip Hoodenpyl asking for land grant to raise sheep and promote wool production.		1813	12	2

Hoodenpyle, Peter	Petition of Peter Hoodenpyle asking permission to repair and maintain the turnpike across Walden's Ridge.		1817	84	
Hootenpile, Peter	Petition from White County asking the petition of Peter Hootenpile to establish & keep a turnpike & toll gate on the road from Bledsoe County courthouse across Cumberland Mts. To William Graves be rejected. (148 names)	White	1813	21	3
Houston, John P.	Petition of John P. Houston asking compensation for militia services. Named in petition: Brigadier Gen. James White & Matthew Nelson.	Claiborne	1817	63	
Houston, William	Petition of William Reynolds, James Baker, and William Houston regarding the turnpike from Sherill's Cove to Painted Rock on French Broad River.		1817	32	
Humphreys County, Annexation	Petition from certain Stewart County residents asking to be annexed to Humphreys County.	Humphreys, Stewart	1815	27	
Humphries, (Judge)	Petition of William Phillips asking relief of \$500.00 fine. Also named: Judge Humphries.	White	1813	27	3
Hunt, John	Petition of Capt. Samuel Williams' militia company requesting John Hunt be appointed a Justice of the Peace.	Robertson	1813	2	1
Indian Creek	Petition of Abraham Hendry & John Miller asking to conduct a lottery to finance drilling for salt water at the head of Indian Creek.	Carter	1813	35	2
Indians, Creek	Petition of widow, Nancy Adams, asking for the rifle and other articles carried by her husband, Peter Adams, against the Creek Indians.	Warren	1813	5	3
Indians, Creek Nation	Petition asking that Tandy Walker be compensated for the rescue of Mrs. Crawley from the Creek Indians. (Miss. Territory)	Washington	1815	53	
Iron Works	Petition of Greene County concerning iron works and mills.	Greene	1815	7	
Jackson County	Petition from Jackson County asking that the county be restored to its constitutional limits and Smithfield retained as the county seat.	Jackson	1815	95	
Jackson County	Petition asking the county seat be established at the center of Jackson County.	Jackson	1815	96	
Jackson County, boundaries	Petition from Jackson County asking that the county be restored to its constitutional limits and Smithfield retained as the county seat.	Jackson	1815	95	
Jackson, (General)	Petition of Thomas Gray asking compensation for a horse lost by him in the War of 1812. Gen. Jackson & Capt. Haggard named.	Stewart	1817	55	
Jackson, Andrew (General)	Petition of Samuel Goode asking compensation for transferring the sick of General Andrew Jackson's army from Greenville to Nashville in 1812.	Davidson	1813	6	2
Jackson, Thomas	Petition of Thomas Jackson asking to be issued a duplicate land warrant. Named in petition, Thomas Dillion, John Armstrong, and Stockley Donelson.	Overton, Smith	1817	44	
James, Walter	Petition regarding muster location. Named in petition: Francis Holler, Mr. Brunstutter, and Walter James.	Sullivan	1813	5	1
James, William	Petition of James Patterson asking a divorce from his wife Jersey Massey Patterson. William James named in petition. Statements by Mary Johnson, Solomon Grice & James Latimer.	Stewart	1817	22	
Jarmon, Robert (Lt. Colonel)	Report of Lt. Col. Robert Jarmon certifying the election of Samuel H. Burton, Capt.; Samuel P. McFall, Lt.; and Allen Barker, Ensign; as officers for 38th Regiment.	Humphreys	1813	4	1
Jarmon, Robert H. (Lieutenant Colonel)	List of elected officers of 38th Militia Regiment: Captain, Joseph Box; Lieutenants, Wade Knight & Howard W. Turner; Ensigns, James Enloe & John H. Burton. Reported by Lt. Col. Robert Jarmon.	Humphreys	1817	76	

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Jefferson County, boundaries	Petition of William Williams of Jefferson County asking the county line be changed so as to place his property in Knox County.	Jefferson, Knox	1813	23	1
Jefferson, TN	Petition of James L. Armstrong asking the Rutherford County Seat be returned to the Town of Jefferson or compensate him for loss on land investment.	Rutherford	1813	8	1
Jennings, Samuel	Petition of Samuel Jennings asking to retail liquor without paying tax.	Maury	1815	37	
Jett, John (Esquire)	Petition of Nichols Gillantine and W. P. White regarding a land warrant. Named in petition: John Jett, Esq.; William Samples & General Bird Smith.	White	1817	72	
Johnson, Jonathan	Petition asking that Jonathan Johnson be appointed Justice of the Peace.	Davidson	1813	7	3
Johnson, Mary	Petition of James Patterson asking a divorce from his wife Jersey Massey Patterson. William James named in petition. Statements by Mary Johnson, Solomon Grice & James Latimer.	Stewart	1817	22	
Johnson, Thomas	Petition of Isaac A. Ward asking compensation for services ordered by Col. Thomas Cleriton to guide a West Tennessee Militia expedition. Names that appear in the Petition text: James Tagent, B. Cooper, Thomas Johnson		1815	48	
Johnson, Thomas (Brigadier General)	Result of election, 38th Militia Regiment, Second Major, John Lain. Named in petition: Brig. Gen. Thomas Johnson, Major John H. Burton.	Humphreys	1817	79	
Jones, Ambrose	Claim of Ambrose Jones for cleaning public arms. Names Col. John Williams in petition.		1813	34	2
Jones, Ambrose	Petition of Ambrose Jones asking compensation for repairing muskets for East Tenn. troops during the Creek Indian War. Col. John Williams named in petition.		1817	56	
Jones, Isaac	Petition of John A. Wilson regarding the surveying of a land entry. Isaac Jones mentioned in petition text.		1815	25	
Jones, Richard (Captain)	Petition from militia companies asking the appointment of Justices of the peace; Town Company, Jesse Harris; Captain Richard Jones Company, Moses Ray; and Capt. Kenida's Company, Joel Handley.	Warren	1817	53	
Judicial System	Petition from Washington County asking for a change in the State Judicial System. (Seven pages of signatures)	Washington	1813	9	1
Julian, John	Petition of John Miser, Tobias Long, William Bleavens, Robert Long, John Julian and William Hail asking to be relieved of paying a criminal bond for Joseph Pate.	Bledsoe	1813	21	2
Justice of the Peace	Petition of Capt. Samuel Williams' militia company requesting John Hunt be appointed a Justice of the Peace.	Robertson	1813	2	1
Justice of the Peace	Petition asking that Jonathan Johnson be appointed Justice of the Peace.	Davidson	1813	7	3
Justice of the Peace	Petition of Captain Tucker's Militia Company recommending Nicholas S. Peck for Justice of the Peace.	Jefferson	1815	64	
Justice of the Peace	Petition asking legalization of the official acts of Abriam Caldwell, Justice of the Peace.	Dickson	1815	81	
Justice of the Peace	Petition of Captain Tucker's Company asking William Cox be appointed Justice of the Peace to replace Adam Peck, deceased.	Jefferson	1817	49	
Justice of the Peace	Petition from Maury County asking that a branch of the state bank be established in Columbia; the town of Columbia be incorporated; that Edward W. Dale, James Walker, and Samuel McDowell be appointed as Justices of the Peace.	Maury	1817	52	

Justice of the Peace	Petition from militia companies asking the appointment of Justices of the Peace; Town Company, Jesse Harris; Captain Richard Jones Company, Moses Ray; and Capt. Kenida's Company, Joel Handley.	Warren	1817	53	
Justice of the Peace	Petition of Capt. Brown's Company asking that Aaron Davis & John Waller be appointed as Justice of the Peace for their district.	Claiborne	1817	62	
Justice, Amos	Petition asking that Amos Justice be allowed to build a turnpike road over the old Nickajack Trace.	Franklin	1815	79	
Justice, David	Petition of Samuel McDaniel asking for a duplicate land warrant. David Justice named in petition text.		1815	38	
Kelso, Charles	Petition of Hugh and Charles Kelso to establish town of Portville on their lands. Also names William Lowry, James J. Greene, John Eakins, Richard Dearmon, Matthew Wallace, James Wyly & John Lambert as commissioners of the town.	Blount	1813	11	1
Kelso, Hugh	Petition of Hugh and Charles Kelso to establish town of Portville on their lands. Also names William Lowry, James J. Greene, John Eakins, Richard Dearmon, Matthew Wallace, James Wyly & John Lambert as commissioners of the town.	Blount	1813	11	1
Kenida, (Captain)	Petition from militia companies asking the appointment of Justices of the peace; Town Company, Jesse Harris; Captain Richard Jones Company, Moses Ray; and Capt. Kenida's Company, Joel Handley.	Warren	1817	53	
Kennedy, John	Petition of David Deaderick, John Kennedy, & Adam McKee asking amendments to the charter of the Holston Bank.		1817	73	
Kilpatrick, Joseph (Chain Carrier)	Petition of Joseph Kilpatrick claiming certain land entries as chain carrier for surveying lands for soldiers. General Rutherford named in petition.		1817	20	
King, David	Petition of the heirs of David King asking for a deed to land that he purchased from Thomas Anderson..	Sumner	1813	3	2
Kingston, TN	Petition of John Purris asking that certain lots not become part of the town of Kingston.	Roane	1815	56	
Kinner, Eskridge	Petition of John Miller asking that he be permitted to build a small dam across Beach (Black) Creek. Eskridge Kinner named in petition.	Hawkins	1815	59	
Knight, Wade (Lieutenant)	List of elected officers of 38th Militia Regiment: Captain, Joseph Box; Lieutenants, Wade Knight & Howard W. Turner; Ensigns, James Enloe & John H. Burton. Reported by Lt. Col. Robert Jarmon.	Humphreys	1817	76	
Knox County, boundaries	Petition of William Williams of Jefferson County asking the county line be changed so as to place his property in Knox County.	Jefferson, Knox	1813	23	1
Knoxville, TN	Petition of James G. Raulston & other heirs of George Raulston asking permission to sell certain lots in Knoxville.		1813	24	2
Knoxville, TN incorporation	Petition asking that Knoxville be incorporated.	Knox	1815	54	
Lackey, Thomas (Jailer)	Petition of Thomas Lackey, jailer, asking compensation for keeping certain prisoners of Washington County.	Washington	1817	46	
Lain, John (Second Major)	Result of election, 38th Militia Regiment, Second Major, John Lain. Named in petition: Brig. Gen. Thomas Johnson, Major John H. Burton.	Humphreys	1817	79	
Lambert, John	Petition of Hugh and Charles Kelso to establish town of Portville on their lands. Also names William Lowry, James J. Greene, John Eakins, Richard Dearmon, Matthew Wallace, James Wyly & John Lambert as commissioners of the town.	Blount	1813	11	1



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Lammont, Jacob	Petition asking an election be held to determine the location of county seat. Named in Petition: Town of Montgomery, Col. James Scott, Samuel S. Saunders, Esq., William Wale, and Jacob Lemmont.	Morgan	1813	25	2
Land Grant	Petition of James Davis regarding land grant of Joshua Davis. Named in petition: Edwin Hickman, surveyor; Thomas Hickman.		1813	1	2
Land Grant	Petition of Edward Lucas asking for a land grant as compensation for his service in the Indian Wars. General James Robertson named in petition.		1813	4	2
Land Grant	Petition of Benjamin Totten and John McDaniel regarding land grants. Named in petition: John Carter, John McAnally, John Armstrong, John Sevier, & Col. William Polk.		1813	5	2
Land Grant	Petition of Joel Lewis regarding a land grant for Joel Lewis, William Snoody & Benjamin Gooding.	Davidson	1813	15	1
Land Grant	Petition of William Bradley regarding a land grant. Named in petition: William P. Anderson, Edward Thorsley, and William Dillon.	Franklin	1813	17	1
Land Grant	Petition of William Armstrong asking for a duplicate land grant.	Robertson	1813	21	1
Land Grant	Petition of William Hill regarding duplicate land grant in West Tennessee. James Martin named in petition.		1813	22	3
Land Grant	Petition of John Dickson asking compensation for making transcripts of Rutherford County land grants for Commissioners of W. Tenn.	Rutherford	1813	25	1
Land Grant	Petition of Mary Cameron, widow of Duncan Cameron asking a duplicate land grant be issued so his estate can be settled. Will stipulated the land be sold and money divided equally among his daughters. (See also Jefferson County Will Book 1, page 343)	Jefferson, Davidson	1813	33	1
Land Grant	Petition of William Lytle for the heirs of Archabald Lytle regarding a land grant. Named in petition: Stokely Donelson	Washington	1813	35	1
Land Grant	Petition of Thomas Gillespie of Washington County regarding a North Carolina land grant in Hawkins County.	Washington, Hawkins	1815	12	
Land Grant	Petition of Kasper Mansker regarding a land grant originally issued to Gallath Semar(s).		1815	17	
Land Grant	Petition for the heirs of David Craig asking duplicate land grant in Maury County.	Maury	1815	32	
Land Grant	Petition of James Gunn regarding a land grant.		1815	41	
Land Grant	Petition of Adam Meeks regarding a land grant. Starkly Davidson named in petition.		1815	42	
Land Grant	Petition of James Holland regarding a land grant. John Armstrong named in petition.		1815	43	
Land Grant	Petition of Daniel Gunn asking for a land grant. Named in petition: Samuel Alexander, John Watson, Thomas Gunn, and Asa Mason.	Robertson	1817	23	
Land Grant	Petition of Pleasant Henderson & Robert Burton, heirs of Richard Henderson, regarding a land grant. Named in petition: George Daugherty & James R. Rogers.	Warren	1817	24	
Land Grant	Petition of Wilkins, Jenny & Ewing Young, heir of Charles Young, requesting a grant. (Copy of map and grant included.)	Washington	1817	25	
Land Grant	Petition of Thomas Mann regarding a land grant. John Chaney named in petition. Map & deposition of Joseph Cobb included.	Grainger	1817	57	
Land Grant	Petition of Ezekiel Henry regarding a duplicate land grant. Stockley Donelson named.		1817	60	

Land Grant	Petition of Elizabeth Campbell, widow of David Campbell, regarding a land grant. (Copy of land grant signed by Gov. Willie Blount and the will of David Campbell with petition.)	Rhea	1817	88	
Land Payments	Petition from South of the French Broad River and Holston River asking land payments be deferred until after the War. (Over 500 signatures. Pages 1, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 missing)		1813	32	3
Land Warrant	Petition of Charles Whitson asking for a duplicate land warrant.		1813	13	3
Land Warrant	Petition of Roger B. Sappington asking that a certain land warrant ruling be left to the Williamson County Circuit Court. Named in petition: John Dabney, Peter Edwards, David Gee, Joseph Sheelor, and heirs of Jacob Sheta.	Williamson	1813	28	1
Land Warrant	Petition of Roger B. Sappington asking that a certain land warrant ruling be left to the Williamson County Circuit Court. Named in petition: John Dabney, Peter Edwards, David Gee, Joseph Sheelor, and heirs of Jacob Sheta.	Williamson	1813	28	1
Land Warrant	Petition of Thomas Shute asking duplicate land warrant. Named in Petition: Robert Bargs, Joseph Scurlock, John Overton & Joshua Hartley.		1813	34	1
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Land Warrant	Petition of Thomas Wright regarding land warrant for service in surveying the military demarcation line. Also named: Robert Edmundson, Daniel Frazier, General Rutherford, and Captain Looney.	Bedford	1813	36	1
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Land Warrant	Petition of William Martin regarding a duplicate land warrant.	Smith	1815	4	
Land Warrant	Petition of William Martin regarding a duplicate land warrant.	Smith	1815	4	
Land Warrant	Petition of John P. Hickman asking the issue of a land warrant to the heirs of Edwin Hickman.		1815	34	
Land Warrant	Petition of John P. Hickman asking the issue of a land warrant to the heirs of Edwin Hickman.		1815	34	
Land Warrant	Petition of Samuel McDaniel asking for a duplicate land warrant. David Justice named in petition text.		1815	38	
Land Warrant	Petition of Samuel McDaniel asking for a duplicate land warrant. David Justice named in petition text.		1815	38	
Land Warrant	Petition of William Bond regarding a duplicate land warrant. Martin Armstrong and George Doherty mentioned in the petition.		1815	74	
Land Warrant	Petition of William Bond regarding a duplicate land warrant. Martin Armstrong and George Doherty mentioned in the petition.		1815	74	
Land Warrant	Petition of John Memefee regarding land claims and issuing a land warrant.		1815	75	
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Land Warrant	Memorial regarding parts of an act passed in 1806 authorizing the state of TN to open grants and perfect titles to certain lands as well as settle claims to vacant & unappropriated lands in East Tennessee (Hiwassee District)		1817	16	

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Land Warrant	Memorial regarding parts of an act passed in 1806 authorizing the state of TN to open grants and perfect titles to certain lands as well as settle claims to vacant & unappropriated lands in East Tennessee (Hiwassee District)		1817	16	
Land Warrant	Petition regarding a part of the Act of 1815 pertaining to entries being made and warrants issued on certain lands.		1817	17	
Land Warrant	Petition regarding a part of the Act of 1815 pertaining to entries being made and warrants issued on certain lands.		1817	17	
Land Warrant	Petition of Thomas Hickman regarding a duplicate land warrant. Absalom Coward named in petition.		1817	40	
Land Warrant	Petition of Thomas Hickman regarding a duplicate land warrant. Absalom Coward named in petition.		1817	40	
Land Warrant	Petition of Margery Barber, executor of Joseph Barber, regarding a duplicate land warrant. Isaac Nichols and Martin Armstrong named in petition.		1817	41	
Land Warrant	Petition of Thomas Jackson asking to be issued a duplicate land warrant. Named in petition, Thomas Dillion, John Armstrong, and Stockley Donelson.	Overton, Smith	1817	44	
Land Warrant	Petition of Robert Henry for heirs of Robert Alexander asking duplicate land warrant.	Haywood	1817	48	
Land Warrant	Petition of Nichols Gillantine and W. P. White regarding a land warrant. Named in petition: John Jett, Esq.; William Samples & General Bird Smith.	White	1817	72	
Land Warrant	Petition of Zacharis Copeland & other heirs of Joseph Copeland, deceased, regarding a land warrant.		1817	78	
Land Warrant	Petition of Samuel Henry asking for a duplicate land warrant.	Blount	1817	87	
Latimer, James	Petition of James Patterson asking a divorce from his wife Jersey Massey Patterson. William James named in petition. Statements by Mary Johnson, Solomon Grice & James Latimer.	Stewart	1817	22	
Law, Courts	Petition requesting changes in the method of conducting county court. Named in petition: Joel Lewis, George Wharton, Cary Felts, Elihu S. Hall, Philip Pipkin, Christopher Stump, Benajah Gray, Candour McFaddin, Robert Hewitt, Thomas Hickman and Joseph Coleman, Esquires.	Davidson	1813	18	2
Law, Merchant's Tax	Petition of Greene County asking for law exempting farmers produce from merchant's tax.	Greene	1813	26	1
Law, Rangers	Petition of Howell Dowdy, ranger of Bedford County, asking repeal of Rangers Law of 1815.	Bedford	1817	27	
Laws	Petition from Giles County regarding several subjects including election precincts, surveyors office, construction of a road from Nashville to Mobile Town, Indian Titles to land, establishing a 5th Judicial Circuit, etc.	Giles	1815	14	
Laws, Courts	Petition of Grand Jury of Maury County asking certain changes to the judicial system.	Maury	1813	1	3
Laws, Courts	Petition of Judges of Franklin County asking changes relative to the holding of County Court.	Franklin	1813	2	3
Laws, Elections	Petition from north west Maury County asking for an additional voting precinct.	Maury	1813	9	3
Laws, Land	Petition asking that land law deadlines be waived until end of war.	Rhea	1813	2	2
Laws, Land	Petition asking a law be passed to require a resurvey of all large land holdings in East Tennessee.		1813	33	3a
Laws, Land	Petition of Nathaniel Taylor regarding constitutionality of land law.		1813	38	2

Laws, Land	Petition of J. Montgomery and Enoch Powers asking changes to land laws.	Blount	1815	73	
Laws, Land	Petition regarding land survey laws.		1815	78	
Laws, Land	Petition asking for protection of defendants in land suits caused by double issue of land grants from North Carolina and Tennessee.		1815	94	
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Laws, Land	Petition of Citizens asking for a law that will give defendants in litigation time to pay judgment fees rather than forfeiting land to court judgment.		1817	77	
Laws, Militia	Petition of Militia Officers asking changes in Military Laws of the State.		1815	51	
Laws, Militia	Petition of Militia officers asking change in the State Military Laws.	Robertson	1815	67	
Laws, Militia	Petition asking changes in military laws.	Dickson	1815	82	
Laws, Militia	Petition regarding Militia Laws of 1803 & 1815 and recommendations for amendments and modifications.		1817	38	
Laws, Militia	Petition of Knox County asking for alteration to the militia laws.	Knox	1817	70	
Laws, Slavery	Memorial of Manumission Society members asking for serious attention to petitions regarding slavery, for laws prohibiting slave traffic across state lines, and for permission to emancipate slaves capable of providing a living.		1817	6	
Laws, Tobacco	Petition from Wilson County making recommendations for amending the laws regarding tobacco inspections.	Wilson	1817	54	
Lewis, (Major)	Petition of William Evans, Militia Capt., asking compensation for a gun impressed by him from Stephen Brendine of Overton County during the Creek Indian War. Major Lewis named as his commanding officer.	Overton	1815	58	
Lewis, Joel	Petition of Joel Lewis regarding a land grant for Joel Lewis, William Snooddy & Benjamin Gooding.	Davidson	1813	15	1
Lewis, Joel (Esquire)	Petition requesting changes in the method of conducting county court. Named in petition: Joel Lewis, George Wharton, Cary Felts, Elihu S. Hall, Philip Pipkin, Christopher Stump, Benajah Gray, Candour McFaddin, Robert Hewitt, Thomas Hickman and Joseph Coleman, Esquires.	Davidson	1813	18	2
Licence, Merchants	Petition of Rebecka Watson asking permission to retail liquor without a license.		1813	13	2
License, Merchants	Petition of Joseph Alexander Montgomery asking to retail liquors and other goods without a license.	Rutherford	1813	22	2
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Liquor	Petition to suppress liquor shops and places where slaves gather to barter liquor.	Davidson	1813	15	3
Liquor	Petition of Joseph Alexander Montgomery asking to retail liquors and other goods without a license.	Rutherford	1813	22	2
Liquor	Petition of David Rowland asking permission to retail spirituous liquors & keep a public house. Petition notes Rowland was wounded by Indians in 1808.	Humphreys	1815	3	
Liquor	Petition of Samuel Jennings asking to retail liquor without paying tax.	Maury	1815	37	
Livestock	East Tenn. citizens asking that dogs be taxed. Dogs are too great in number to safely raise sheep.		1813	3	1
Long, Robert	Petition of John Miser, Tobias Long, William Bleavens, Robert Long, John Julian and William Hail asking to be relieved of paying a criminal bond for Joseph Pate.	Bledsoe	1813	21	2

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Long, Tobias	Petition of John Miser, Tobias Long, William Bleavens, Robert Long, John Julian and William Hail asking to be relieved of paying a criminal bond for Joseph Pate.	Bledsoe	1813	21	2
Looney, (Captain)	Petition of Thomas Wright regarding land warrant for service in surveying the military demarcation line. Also named: Robert Edmundson, Daniel Frazier, General Rutherford, and Captain Looney.	Bedford	1813	36	1
Lottery	Petition of members of the Cumberland Lodge of Masons asking to conduct lottery to finance a Masonic Hall in Nashville.	Davidson	1813	9	2
Lottery	Petition of Abraham Hendry & John Miller asking to conduct a lottery to finance drilling for salt water at the head of Indian Creek.	Carter	1813	35	2
Lowry, John	Petition of John Lowry asking extended time to repay money borrowed from State Treasury for the purpose of building a road through the Cherokee lands.		1813	22	1
Lowry, William	Petition of Hugh and Charles Kelso to establish town of Portville on their lands. Also names William Lowry, James J. Greene, John Eakins, Richard Dearmon, Matthew Wallace, James Wyly & John Lambert as commissioners of the town.	Blount	1813	11	1
Loyd's Gap	Petition of George Gordon asking permission to open a road across the Cumberland Mts. through Loyd's Gap.	Greene	1817	33	
Lucas, Edward	Petition of Edward Lucas asking for a land grant as compensation for his service in the Indian Wars. General James Robertson named in petition.		1813	4	2
Lynes, William J. (Jailer)	Petition of William J. Lynes, jailer of Robertson District, asking to be paid certain fees. Others mentioned in petition text: Nathaniel Thomes, Stewart McThornton, and Jacob Pickering Robertson.	Robertson	1815	39	
Lytle, Archabald	Petition of William Lytle for the heirs of Archabald Lytle regarding a land grant. Named in petition: Stokely Donelson	Washington	1813	35	1
Lytle, William	Petition of William Lytle for the heirs of Archabald Lytle regarding a land grant. Named in petition: Stokely Donelson	Washington	1813	35	1
Magness, David	Petition of Edward Cage asking compensation for attending Williamson County Circuit Court as a state witness against Jonathan, David, and Perry Magness.	Williamson	1813	7	2
Magness, Jonathan	Petition of Edward A. Hobbs, jailer of Davidson County, asking compensation for keeping a prisoner, Jonathan Magness.	Davidson	1813	6	3
Magness, Jonathan	Petition of Edward Cage asking compensation for attending Williamson County Circuit Court as a state witness against Jonathan, David, and Perry Magness.	Williamson	1813	7	2
Magness, Perry	Petition of Edward Cage asking compensation for attending Williamson County Circuit Court as a state witness against Jonathan, David, and Perry Magness.	Williamson	1813	7	2
Mann, Thomas	Petition of Thomas Mann regarding a land grant. John Chaney named in petition. Map & deposition of Joseph Cobb included.	Grainger	1817	57	
Mansker, Kasper	Petition of Kasper Mansker regarding a land grant originally issued to Gallath Semar(s).		1815	17	
Manufacturing	Petition of Greene & Cocke Counties regarding the promotion of manufacturing in their area.	Cocke, Greene	1813	13	1
Marchbanks, William	Petition from Jackson, Overton and White Counties asking that Major James Chisum and William Marchbanks be allowed to build a road from Piles Turnpike to intersect with Cumberland Turnpike.	Jackson, Overton, White	1817	69	



Marchbanks, William	Petition regarding road construction connecting Cumberland & Piles Turnpike. Named in petition: James Chisum, William Marchbanks, William Davidson.	Jackson, Overton, White	1817	80	
Marchbanks, William	Petition of James Chisum & William Marchbanks asking permission to construct a road from Piles Road to Walton Road.	Overton	1817	86	
Marr, George W. L.	Petition of Constant Hardeman asking compensation for services rendered at the request of Enoch Parsons, Attorney General of East Tenn. George W. L. Marr also named in petition.		1815	63	
Martin, James	Petition of William Hill regarding duplicate land grant in West Tennessee. James Martin named in petition.		1813	22	3
Martin, Joseph A. (Ensign)	Petition of Ensign Joseph A. Martin asking relief from payment of fine for John Fisher.	Williamson	1813	12	1
Martin, William	Petition of William Martin regarding a duplicate land warrant.	Smith	1815	4	
Mason, Asa	Petition of Daniel Gunn asking for a land grant. Named in petition: Samuel Alexander, John Watson, Thomas Gunn, and Asa Mason.	Robertson	1817	23	
Maury Academy	Petition asking that a central location be found for building Maury Academy.	Maury	1813	30	1
Maury, Abraham	Petition of the Trustees of Harpeth Academy asking the repeal of law which permitted lending of school funds to individuals. Named in petition: Charles McAlister, Stephen Childress, Abraham Maury, Robert P. Currin, John Read, John H. Eaton, Nicholas J. Perkins, Daniel Perkins, John Hardeman, Charles Boyles, and Garner McConnico.	Williamson	1813	31	1
McAlister, Charles	Petition of the Trustees of Harpeth Academy asking the repeal of law which permitted lending of school funds to individuals. Named in petition: Charles McAlister, Stephen Childress, Abraham Maury, Robert P. Currin, John Read, John H. Eaton, Nicholas J. Perkins, Daniel Perkins, John Hardeman, Charles Boyles, and Garner McConnico.	Williamson	1813	31	1
McAnally, John	Petition of Benjamin Totten and John McDaniel regarding land grants. Named in petition: John Carter, John McAnally, John Armstrong, John Sevier, & Col. William Polk.		1813	5	2
McCollough, James	Petition of James McCollough asking payment of rent for house in which powder is stored.	Knox	1815	8	
McConnico, Garner	Petition of the Trustees of Harpeth Academy asking the repeal of law which permitted lending of school funds to individuals. Named in petition: Charles McAlister, Stephen Childress, Abraham Maury, Robert P. Currin, John Read, John H. Eaton, Nicholas J. Perkins, Daniel Perkins, John Hardeman, Charles Boyles, and Garner McConnico.	Williamson	1813	31	1
McCorrey, Thomas	Petition of Joseph Brown requesting a refund for over payment of taxes. James Sevier and Thomas McCorrey mentioned in petition.	Washington	1813	14	1
McCraw, Gabriel	Petition of Gabriel McCraw and John Sutherland asking permission to cut turnpike road to connect Roane & Overton Counties.	Roane, Overton	1817	81	
McDaniel, John	Petition of Benjamin Totten and John McDaniel regarding land grants. Named in petition: John Carter, John McAnally, John Armstrong, John Sevier, & Col. William Polk.		1813	5	2
McDaniel, Samuel	Petition of Samuel McDaniel asking for a duplicate land warrant. David Justice named in petition text.		1815	38	

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McDowell, Samuel	Petition from Maury County asking that a branch of the state bank be established in Columbia; the town of Columbia be incorporated; that Edward W. Dale, James Walker, and Samuel McDowell be appointed as Justices of the Peace.	Maury	1817	52	
McFaddin, Candour (Esquire)	Petition requesting changes in the method of conducting county court. Named in petition: Joel Lewis, George Wharton, Cary Felts, Elihu S. Hall, Philip Pipkin, Christopher Stump, Benajah Gray, Candour McFaddin, Robert Hewitt, Thomas Hickman and Joseph Coleman, Esquires.	Davidson	1813	18	2
McFall, Samuel P. (Lieutenant)	Report of Lt. Col. Robert Jarmon certifying the election of Samuel H. Burton, Capt.; Samuel P. McFall, Lt.; and Allen Barker, Ensign; as officers for 38th Regiment.	Humphreys	1813	4	1
McGee, William	Petition asking permission for William McGee to construct a tobacco warehouse and navigation of the Duck River.	Bedford	1815	84	
McIves, John	Petition of John Menefee asking reimbursement for payment of state taxes on land of John McIves.	Knox	1817	50	
McKee, Adam	Petition of David Deaderick, John Kennedy, & Adam McKee asking amendments to the charter of the Holston Bank.		1817	73	
McMackin, Thomas	Petition regarding Samuel Hamilton, a free Negro, asking to prove his accounts. (Accompanied with a petition of 136 citizens of Washington County supporting his request and statement of Thomas McMackin.)	Washington	1813	16	3
McMillion, James Maddison	Petition of J. Youngblood to give his illegitimate children his name. Child's name given as James Maddison McMillion.		1815	89	
McMinn, Joseph (Governor)	Petition of John W. Gamble, Judge Advocate, asking compensation for members of court martial of Brigadier General Samuel H. Williams. Gov. Joseph McMinn named.		1817	42	
McNairy, John	Petition of John McNairy for the Board of Trustees of Cumberland College asking permission to regulate against invasion of privacy by individuals.	Wilson	1813	8	2
McNairy, John	Petition from town of Nashville asking that John McNairy be denied certain land along the Cumberland River.	Davidson	1813	31	2
McNutt, George	Petition of James White and George McNutt asking that they be paid for attending impeachment of William Cocke.	Knox	1813	20	2
McNutt, John	Petition of John McNutt asking compensation.	Knox	1815	9	
McReynolds, Joseph	Petition of Joseph McReynolds contesting the election of Representatives of Bledsoe County to the General Assembly of Tennessee.	Bledsoe	1815	55	
McReynolds, Joseph	Petition of William Rainey & Joseph McReynolds to open road from Pikeville to McMinnville.		1817	83	
McThornton, Stewart	Petition of William J. Lynes, jailer of Robertson District, asking to be paid certain fees. Others mentioned in petition text: Nathaniel Thomes, Stewart McThornton, and Jacob Pickering Robertson.	Robertson	1815	39	
Meeks, Adam	Petition of Adam Meeks regarding a land grant. Starkly Davidson named in petition.		1815	42	
Menefee, John	Petition of John Memefee regarding land claims and issuing a land warrant.		1815	75	
Menefee, John	Petition of John Menefee asking reimbursement for payment of state taxes on land of John McIves.	Knox	1817	50	
Militia	Petition regarding muster location. Named in petition: Francis Holler, Mr. Brunstutter, and Walter James.	Sullivan	1813	5	1

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Militia	Petition asking that ex-Revolutionary soldiers be allowed to attend musters and train militia.	White	1813	7	1
Militia	Petition of Hawkins County asking 4 instead of 3 companies of militia.	Hawkins	1813	10	2
Militia	Petition asking that all commissioned officers be exempt from road duty.	Roane	1813	18	1
Militia	Petition of Major Lewis Dillahunty recommending militia changes.		1813	27	2
Militia	Petition of Col. John Holland & others asking to form a Ranger Company to protect Hickman and Humphreys Counties from Indians.	Hickman, Humphreys	1813	29	1
Militia	Petition asking that Col. Stephen Copeland be allowed to raise a troop of 500 mounted men for service in Indian War.	Overton	1813	31	3
Militia	Petition from Greene County regarding the holding of musters.	Greene	1815	21	
Militia	Petition from Smith County asking for a change in the day of musters.	Smith	1817	45	
Militia, 17th Regiment	Petition of Captain Fisher's Company of the 42nd Regiment asking they be allowed to muster with the 17th Regiment rather than the 42nd.	Wilson	1813	19	2
Militia, 38th Regiment	Report of Lt. Col. Robert Jarmon certifying the election of Samuel H. Burton, Capt.; Samuel P. McFall, Lt.; and Allen Barker, Ensign; as officers for 38th Regiment.	Humphreys	1813	4	1
Militia, 38th Regiment	List of elected officers of 38th Militia Regiment: Captain, Joseph Box; Lieutenants, Wade Knight & Howard W. Turner; Ensigns, James Enloe & John H. Burton. Reported by Lt. Col. Robert Jarmon.	Humphreys	1817	76	
Militia, 38th Regiment	Result of election, 38th Militia Regiment, Second Major, John Lain. Named in petition: Brig. Gen. Thomas Johnson, Major John H. Burton.	Humphreys	1817	79	
Militia, 42nd Regiment	Petition of Captain Fisher's Company of the 42nd Regiment asking they be allowed to muster with the 17th Regiment rather than the 42nd.	Wilson	1813	19	2
Militia, 42nd Regiment	Petition of Captain Fisher's Company, 42nd Regiment, TN Militia asking reassignment to 17th Regiment because of distance traveled for musters.	Wilson	1815	18	
Militia, 5th Brigade	Petition of Cavalry Officers of 5th Brigade asking to be adequately drilled and armed.	Maury	1813	20	1
Militia, 6th Regiment	Petition of the officers of the 6th Regiment, Dickson County, asking to change the place of holding musters and elections.	Dickson	1815	86	
Militia, Knoxville Independent Light Infantry Company	Petition from Knoxville asking permission to raise a volunteer company to be known as Knoxville Independent Light Infantry Company.	Knox	1817	26	
Mill	Petition regarding John Hereford and the construction of a mill on Elk River.	Franklin	1813	25	3
Mill	Petition regarding John Hereford and the construction of a mill on Elk River.	Franklin	1813	25	3
Mill	Petition asking Samuel Brooks & Benjamin Smith be allowed to erect a mill/dam on Duck River.	Maury	1813	37	2b
Mill	Petition of Greene County concerning iron works and mills.	Greene	1815	7	
Mill	Petition of David & Samuel Burton asking permission to build a mill on Elk River.	Franklin	1815	23	
Mill	Petition of James E. Williams to build a mill dam on Stones River.	Davidson	1815	49	
Mill	Petition of David Allen asking permission to build a mill dam on Stones River.	Davidson	1815	60	

Mill	Petition of Miles Davis asking that he be allowed to build a mill dam on Caney Fork River on the White and Warren County line.	White, Warren	1815	93	
Mill	Petition protesting the obstruction of Navigation on the Nolichucky River by George Gordon's mill and various fish traps.	Washington	1817	51	
Miller, John	Petition of Abraham Hendry & John Miller asking to conduct a lottery to finance drilling for salt water at the head of Indian Creek.	Carter	1813	35	2
Miller, John	Petition of John Miller asking that he be permitted to build a small dam across Beach (Black) Creek. Eskridge Kinner named in petition.	Hawkins	1815	59	
Miser, John	Petition of John Miser, Tobias Long, William Bleavens, Robert Long, John Julian and William Hail asking to be relieved of paying a criminal bond for Joseph Pate.	Bledsoe	1813	21	2
Mitchell, Thomas	Petition of Neal B. Rose, Thomas Toppington, James L. Armstrong, Archibald H. Harris, Joel Dyer, George R. Nash, Thomas Mitchell, David Patton, & George Simpson asking that the county seat be returned to the town of Jefferson or they be refunded money for lots purchased. Also named: William Quisenberry, surveyor.	Rutherford	1813	27	1
Mitchell, Thomas (Sheriff)	Petition of Thomas Mitchell, sheriff of Cocke County, asking compensation for transporting Reuben Heard to Claiborne County.	Cocke, Claiborne	1815	47	
Mobile Bay, Alabama	Petition asking that a road be constructed from Tenn. to Mobile Bay, Alabama.		1813	33	3b
Monroe, TN	Petition from the Town of Monroe asking that commissioners be allowed to sell parts of public square.		1813	6	1
Montgomery, J.	Petition of J. Montgomery and Enoch Powers asking changes to land laws.	Blount	1815	73	
Montgomery, Joseph Alexander	Petition of Joseph Alexander Montgomery asking to retail liquors and other goods without a license.	Rutherford	1813	22	2
Montgomery, TN	Petition asking an election be held to determine the location of county seat. Named in Petition: Town of Montgomery, Col. James Scott, Samuel S. Saunders, Esq., William Wale, and Jacob Lemmont.	Morgan	1813	25	2
Moore, John	Petition of John Moore concerning the building of a jail in Rhea County.	Rhea	1813	17	3
Morgan County	Petition asking an election be held to determine the location of county seat. Named in Petition: Town of Montgomery, Col. James Scott, Samuel S. Saunders, Esq., William Wale, and Jacob Lemmont.	Morgan	1813	25	2
Morrison, Michael	Petition of Samuel Morrison regarding land in Grainger County. Also named: Thomas Morrison, and Michael Morrison.	Grainger	1817	74	
Morrison, Samuel	Petition of Samuel Morrison regarding land in Grainger County. Also named: Thomas Morrison, and Michael Morrison.	Grainger	1817	74	
Morrison, Thomas	Petition of Samuel Morrison regarding land in Grainger County. Also named: Thomas Morrison, and Michael Morrison.	Grainger	1817	74	
Muckleroy, Mikejah	Petition of Lincoln County asking that Mikejah Muckleroy be reimbursed for building the Lincoln County Courthouse.	Lincoln	1813	4	3
Nash, George R.	Petition of Neal B. Rose, Thomas Toppington, James L. Armstrong, Archibald H. Harris, Joel Dyer, George R. Nash, Thomas Mitchell, David Patton, & George Simpson asking that the county seat be returned to the town of Jefferson or they be refunded money for lots purchased. Also named: William Quisenberry, surveyor.	Rutherford	1813	27	1

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Nashville Bank	Petition of the President and Directors of the Nashville Bank asking additional laws regarding counterfeiters.		1813	14	2
Nashville Library Association	Petition of John Dickinson and William W. Cocke asking that the Nashville Library Association be incorporated.	Davidson	1813	18	3
Nashville, TN	Petition regarding dockage space for loading and unloading of boats.	Davidson	1813	10	3
Nashville, TN	Petition from town of Nashville asking that John McNairy be denied certain land along the Cumberland River.	Davidson	1813	31	2
Navigation	Petition of Maury County asking surplus funds from sale of town lots be used in clearing obstructions from the Duck River.	Maury	1813	37	2a
Navigation	Petition of Maury County asking surplus funds from the sale of town lots be used in clearing obstructions from the Duck River.	Maury	1813	40	2
Navigation	Petition from the town of Jefferson in Rutherford County regarding the navigation of Stones River, removal of seat of Justice from Jefferson to Murfreesborough, etc. Named in the petition are Gen. John Coffee, Col. G. H. Gibson, and Capt. J. N. Read.	Rutherford	1815	15	
Navigation	Petition regarding the blocking of navigation of Rivers.		1815	16	
Navigation	Petition asking permission for William McGee to construct a tobacco warehouse and navigation of the Duck River.	Bedford	1815	84	
Navigation	Petition protesting the obstruction of Navigation on the Nolichucky River by George Gordon's mill and various fish traps.	Washington	1817	51	
Negro, Jesse	Petition of Col. George W. Sanders asking compensation for a Negro man named Jesse executed by State for stealing property from Mr. Samuel Smith of Rutherford County.	White, Rutherford	1813	24	3
Negro, Ralph	Petition of Michael C. Dunn, sheriff of Davidson County, asking payment for transporting John Rose to the jail of Winchester district. Rose was charged with stealing a Negro named Ralph from Matthew Brown.	Davidson	1815	40	
Nelson, Matthew	Petition of John P. Houston asking compensation for militia services. Named in petition: Brigadier Gen. James White & Matthew Nelson.	Claiborne	1817	63	
Nichols, Isaac	Petition of Margery Barber, executor of Joseph Barber, regarding a duplicate land warrant. Isaac Nichols and Martin Armstrong named in petition.		1817	41	
North Carolina, Land	Memorial to Congress regarding land matters between North Carolina and Tennessee.		1817	15	
North Carolina, Land	Memorial to Congress regarding the unsatisfied claim for land in Tennessee derived under the authority of North Carolina.		1817	91	
Obed River	Petition of Lilburn L. Henderson asking to build a toll bridge across Obed River.		1815	45	
Oplar Creek	Petition of Conread Pille requesting compensation for maintaining turnpike from Poplar Creek to Wolf River.		1815	90	
Ortto, Elizabeth	Petition of Elizabeth Ortto asking for a divorce from her husband, Frederick Ortto.		1813	16	2
Ortto, Frederick	Petition of Elizabeth Ortto asking for a divorce from her husband, Frederick Ortto.		1813	16	2
Outlaw, Alexander S. (Major)	Petition of George Brown asking that he not be required to pay for certain arms impressed during the Creek Indian War. Major Alexander S. Outlaw named in petition.		1815	66	
Overton, John	Petition of Thomas Shute asking duplicate land warrant. Named in Petition: Robert Bargs, Joseph Scurlock, John Overton & Joshua Hartley.		1813	34	1



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Painted Rock	Petition of William Reynolds, James Baker, and William Houston regarding the turnpike from Sherill's Cove to Painted Rock on French Broad River.		1817	32	
Parsons, Enoch (Attorney General East TN)	Petition of Constant Hardeman asking compensation for services rendered at the request of Enoch Parsons, Attorney General of East Tenn. George W. L. Marr also named in petition.		1815	63	
Pate, Joseph	Petition of John Miser, Tobias Long, William Bleavens, Robert Long, John Julian and William Hail asking to be relieved of paying a criminal bond for Joseph Pate.	Bledsoe	1813	21	2
Patterson, James	Petition of James Patterson asking a divorce from his wife Jersey Massey Patterson. William James named in petition. Statements by Mary Johnson, Solomon Grice & James Latimer.	Stewart	1817	22	
Patterson, Jersey Massey	Petition of James Patterson asking a divorce from his wife Jersey Massey Patterson. William James named in petition. Statements by Mary Johnson, Solomon Grice & James Latimer.	Stewart	1817	22	
Patton, David	Petition of Neal B. Rose, Thomas Toppington, James L. Armstrong, Archibald H. Harris, Joel Dyer, George R. Nash, Thomas Mitchell, David Patton, & George Simpson asking that the county seat be returned to the town of Jefferson or they be refunded money for lots purchased. Also named: William Quisenberry, surveyor.	Rutherford	1813	27	1
Peck, Adam	Petition of Captain Tucker's Company asking William Cox be appointed Justice of the Peace to replace Adam Peck, deceased.	Jefferson	1817	49	
Peck, Nicholas S.	Petition of Captain Tucker's Militia Company recommending Nicholas S. Peck for Justice of the Peace.	Jefferson	1815	64	
Penitentiary	List of subscribers to the building of a penitentiary.	White	1815	99	
Penitentiary	Subscription for building a penitentiary.		1817	2	
Penitentiary, Bledsoe County	Subscription for building a penitentiary in Bledsoe County.	Bledsoe	1817	9	
Penitentiary, Blount County	Subscription for building a penitentiary in Blount County.	Blount	1817	5	
Penitentiary, Campbell County	Subscription for building a penitentiary in Campbell County.	Campbell	1817	3	
Penitentiary, Cocke County	Subscription for building a penitentiary in Cocke County.	Cocke	1817	8	
Penitentiary, Franklin County	Certificate of Edmund Rupore, clerk of Court of Pleas & Quarters, reporting no subscription for building a penitentiary in Franklin County.	Franklin	1817	7	
Penitentiary, Jefferson County	Subscription for building a penitentiary in Jefferson County.	Jefferson	1817	13	
Penitentiary, Maury County	Subscription for building a penitentiary in Maury County.	Maury	1817	4	
Penitentiary, Montgomery County	Subscription for building a penitentiary in Montgomery County.	Montgomery	1817	12	
Penitentiary, Overton County	Subscription for building a penitentiary in Overton County.	Overton	1817	1	
Penitentiary, Sevier County	Subscription for building a penitentiary in Sevier County.	Sevier	1817	10	
Penitentiary, Sullivan County	Subscription for building of a penitentiary in Sullivan County.	Sullivan	1817	11	
Penitentiary, Wilson County	Subscription for building a penitentiary in Wilson County.	Wilson	1817	14	

Perkins, Daniel	Petition of the Trustees of Harpeth Academy asking the repeal of law which permitted lending of school funds to individuals. Named in petition: Charles McAlister, Stephen Childress, Abraham Maury, Robert P. Currin, John Read, John H. Eaton, Nicholas J. Perkins, Daniel Perkins, John Hardeman, Charles Boyles, and Garner McConnico.	Williamson	1813	31	1
Perkins, Nicholas J.	Petition of the Trustees of Harpeth Academy asking the repeal of law which permitted lending of school funds to individuals. Named in petition: Charles McAlister, Stephen Childress, Abraham Maury, Robert P. Currin, John Read, John H. Eaton, Nicholas J. Perkins, Daniel Perkins, John Hardeman, Charles Boyles, and Garner McConnico.	Williamson	1813	31	1
Perryman, Alexander (Surveyor)	Petition from certain citizens regarding the county line between Warren and Franklin Counties. Alexander Perryman named as surveyor.	Warren, Franklin	1815	71	
Petty, William	Petition of Denson Fields asking for a divorce from his wife, Rachel Petty Fields. Also named: William Petty.	Overton	1813	1	1
Phillips, William	Petition of William Phillips asking relief of \$500.00 fine. Also named: Judge Humphries.	White	1813	27	3
Pickering, Jacob	Petition of William J. Lynes, jailer of Robertson District, asking to be paid certain fees. Others mentioned in petition text: Nathaniel Thomes, Stewart McThornton, and Jacob Pickering Robertson.	Robertson	1815	39	
Pickett, J.	Petition of J. Pickett regarding the sale of lands.	Smith	1815	19	
Piles Road	Petition of Thomas Butler asking to open a turnpike road from Piles Road to Cumberland Road.		1817	82	
Piles Turnpike	Petition of Adam Helms asking permission to cut a road connecting Piles Turnpike with the Cumberland Turnpike.		1817	30	
Piles Turnpike	Petition regarding road construction connecting Cumberland & Piles Turnpike. Named in petition: James Chisum, William Marchbanks, William Davidson.	Jackson, Overton, White	1817	80	
Pille, Conread	Petition of Conread Pille requesting compensation for maintaining turnpike from Poplar Creek to Wolf River.		1815	90	
Pipkin, Philip (Esquire)	Petition requesting changes in the method of conducting county court. Named in petition: Joel Lewis, George Wharton, Cary Felts, Elihu S. Hall, Philip Pipkin, Christopher Stump, Benajah Gray, Candour McFaddin, Robert Hewitt, Thomas Hickman and Joseph Coleman, Esquires.	Davidson	1813	18	2
Polk, William (Colonel)	Petition of Benjamin Totten and John McDaniel regarding land grants. Named in petition: John Carter, John McAnally, John Armstrong, John Sevier, & Col. William Polk.		1813	5	2
Portville, TN	Petition of Hugh and Charles Kelso to establish town of Portville on their lands. Also names William Lowry, James J. Greene, John Eakins, Richard Dearmon, Matthew Wallace, James Wyly & John Lambert as commissioners of the town.	Blount	1813	11	1
Powers, Enoch	Petition of J. Montgomery and Enoch Powers asking changes to land laws.	Blount	1815	73	
Prewitt, Ransom	Petition of Ransom Prewitt regarding land.	Bedford	1815	83	
Public Funds	Petition asking the curtailment of state expenditures of public funds.		1817	59	
Purris, John	Petition of John Purris asking that certain lots not become part of the town of Kingston.	Roane	1815	56	

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Quisenberry, William (Surveyor)	Petition of Neal B. Rose, Thomas Toppington, James L. Armstrong, Archibald H. Harris, Joel Dyer, George R. Nash, Thomas Mitchell, David Patton, & George Simpson asking that the county seat be returned to the town of Jefferson or they be refunded money for lots purchased. Also named: William Quisenberry, surveyor.	Rutherford	1813	27	1
Rainey, William	Petition of William Rainey & Joseph McReynolds to open road from Pikeville to McMinnville.		1817	83	
Rankin, David	Affidavits of Stephen Bond & David Rankin concerning a divorce for John and Sarah Dodd. Cumberland Ferguson named. (No petition. See Private Acts of TN 1822, Chapter 151, Section 2, page 124)	Greene	1817	39	
Rather, James	Petition of James Rather asking relief from a conviction of assault and battery against Joe Swindle.	Smith	1813	8	3
Raulston, George	Petition of James G. Raulston & other heirs of George Raulston asking permission to sell certain lots in Knoxville.		1813	24	2
Raulston, James G.	Petition of James G. Raulston & other heirs of George Raulston asking permission to sell certain lots in Knoxville.		1813	24	2
Ray, Moses	Petition from militia companies asking the appointment of Justices of the peace; Town Company, Jesse Harris; Captain Richard Jones Company, Moses Ray; and Capt. Kenida's Company, Joel Handley.	Warren	1817	53	
Read, J. N. (Captain)	Petition from the town of Jefferson in Rutherford County regarding the navigation of Stones River, removal of seat of Justice from Jefferson to Murfreesborough, etc. Named in the petition are Gen. John Coffee, Col. G. H. Gibson, and Capt. J. N. Read.	Rutherford	1815	15	
Read, John	Petition of the Trustees of Harpeth Academy asking the repeal of law which permitted lending of school funds to individuals. Named in petition: Charles McAlister, Stephen Childress, Abraham Maury, Robert P. Currin, John Read, John H. Eaton, Nicholas J. Perkins, Daniel Perkins, John Hardeman, Charles Boyles, and Garner McConnico.	Williamson	1813	31	1
Red River	Petition of Samuel Smith to build a toll bridge across Red River near Clarksville.	Montgomery	1813	11	3
Reese, Jesse	Petition from Nancy Reese asking for a divorce from her husband, Jesse Reece. Named in petition: Jonathan York.	Bedford	1813	26	3
Reese, Nancy	Petition from Nancy Reese asking for a divorce from her husband, Jesse Reece. Named in petition: Jonathan York.	Bedford	1813	26	3
Relief, Fine	Petition of Jesse Allen asking that a fine imposed on him be remitted.	Warren	1815	50	
Reynolds, William	Petition of William Reynolds, James Baker, and William Houston regarding the turnpike from Sherill's Cove to Painted Rock on French Broad River.		1817	32	
Rhea County, road	Petition of Israel Standifer asking to lay off road over Wallen's Ridge to connect with Rhea County.	Bledsoe, Rhea	1817	65	
Roane County, annexation	Petition of citizens of Sequatchee Valley asking they be annexed to Roane and White counties instead of Bledsoe County.	Bledsoe, Roane, White	1813	20	3
Roaring River	Petition of Moses Fisk asking to be authorized to construct a turnpike road. Roaring River named in text of petition.		1815	1	
Robertson, David	Petition of John Strain and John Campbell, administrators of David Robertson, deceased, asking that they be absolved of debts owed by the deceased.		1815	69	

Robertson, James (General)	Petition of Edward Lucas asking for a land grant as compensation for his service in the Indian Wars. General James Robertson named in petition.		1813	4	2
Rogers, James R.	Petition of Pleasant Henderson & Robert Burton, heirs of Richard Henderson, regarding a land grant. Named in petition: George Daugherty & James R. Rogers.	Warren	1817	24	
Rogersville, TN	Petition from citizens of Rogersville regarding the repair and oversight of road of their town.	Hawkins	1813	3	3
Rose, John	Petition of Michael C. Dunn, sheriff of Davidson County, asking payment for transporting John Rose to the jail of Winchester district. Rose was charged with stealing a Negro named Ralph from Matthew Brown. .	Davidson	1815	40	
Rose, Neal B.	Petition of Neal B. Rose, Thomas Toppington, James L. Armstrong, Archibald H. Harris, Joel Dyer, George R. Nash, Thomas Mitchell, David Patton, & George Simpson asking that the county seat be returned to the town of Jefferson or they be refunded money for lots purchased. Also named: William Quisenberry, surveyor.	Rutherford	1813	27	1
Rowland, David	Petition of David Rowland asking permission to retail spirituous liquors & keep a public house. Petition notes Rowland was wounded by Indians in 1808.	Humphreys	1815	3	
Runnor, John	Petition from Greene County asking John Runnor be appointed commissioner to lay off turnpike leading from Convention's Ferry to Warm Springs.	Greene	1817	68	
Rupore, Edmund (Court Clerk)	Certificate of Edmund Rupore, clerk of Court of Pleas & Quarters, reporting no subscription for building a penitentiary in Franklin County.	Franklin	1817	7	
Rutherford County	Petition of James L. Armstrong asking the Rutherford County Seat be returned to the Town of Jefferson or compensate him for loss on land investment.	Rutherford	1813	8	1
Rutherford County	Petition of John Dickson asking compensation for making transcripts of Rutherford County land grants for Commissioners of W. Tenn.	Rutherford	1813	25	1
Rutherford County	Petition of Neal B. Rose, Thomas Toppington, James L. Armstrong, Archibald H. Harris, Joel Dyer, George R. Nash, Thomas Mitchell, David Patton, & George Simpson asking that the county seat be returned to the town of Jefferson or they be refunded money for lots purchased. Also named: William Quisenberry, surveyor.	Rutherford	1813	27	1
Rutherford County	Petition from the town of Jefferson in Rutherford County regarding the navigation of Stones River, removal of seat of Justice from Jefferson to Murfreesborough, etc. Named in the petition are Gen. John Coffee, Col. G. H. Gibson, and Capt. J. N. Read.	Rutherford	1815	15	
Rutherford County, annexation	Petition from Wilson County opposed to part of their county being annexed to Rutherford County.	Wilson, Rutherford	1813	24	1
Rutherford County, annexation	Petition of South East Corner of Wilson County asking they be annexed to Rutherford County.	Wilson, Rutherford	1813	32	2
Rutherford County, boundaries	Petition from certain citizens of Wilson County asking that the county line be so altered as to put them in Rutherford County.	Rutherford, Wilson	1815	76	
Rutherford, (General)	Petition of Thomas Wright regarding land warrant for service in surveying the military demarcation line. Also named: Robert Edmundson, Daniel Frazier, General Rutherford, and Captain Looney.	Bedford	1813	36	1
Rutherford, General	Petition of Joseph Kilpatrick claiming certain land entries as chain carrier for surveying lands for soldiers. General Rutherford named in petition.		1817	20	

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Salt	Petition of John Hargess, Aaron Hargess, William Hargess, Jeremiah Taylor and William Vaughn asking that they be donated 3,000 acres of land near salt well if they strike salt water.	Smith	1815	88	
Salt Water	Petition of Abraham Hendry & John Miller asking to conduct a lottery to finance drilling for salt water at the head of Indian Creek.	Carter	1813	35	2
Samples, William	Petition of Nichols Gillantine and W. P. White regarding a land warrant. Named in petition: John Jett, Esq.; William Samples & General Bird Smith.	White	1817	72	
Sanders, George W.	Petition of George W. Sanders asking compensation for his slave, Jessee, wrongfully executed. Also named: Samuel Smith, John Edwards.	Warren, Rutherford	1813	30	2
Sanders, George W., (Colonel)	Petition of Col. George W. Sanders asking compensation for a Negro man named Jesse executed by State for stealing property from Mr. Samuel Smith of Rutherford County.	White, Rutherford	1813	24	3
Sanders, James	Petition of Prudence Sanders asking a divorce from her husband, James Sanders.	Maury	1817	58	
Sanders, Prudence	Petition of Prudence Sanders asking a divorce from her husband, James Sanders.	Maury	1817	58	
Sappington, Roger B.	Petition of Roger B. Sappington asking that a certain land warrant ruling be left to the Williamson County Circuit Court. Named in petition: John Dabney, Peter Edwards, David Gee, Joseph Sheelor, and heirs of Jacob Sheta.	Williamson	1813	28	1
Saunders, Samuel S. (Esquire)	Petition asking an election be held to determine the location of county seat. Named in Petition: Town of Montgomery, Col. James Scott, Samuel S. Saunders, Esq., William Wale, and Jacob Lemmont.	Morgan	1813	25	2
Scott, Edward (Register of Land Office)	Petition regarding settlement of dispute between Edward Scott, Register of Land Office, & Robert Wear, surveyor. (Folder marked: transferred from 37-2-1809.)		1817	92	
Scott, Edward (Surveyor)	Petition regarding settlement of dispute between Edward Scott, Register of Land Office, & Robert Wear, surveyor. (Folder marked: transferred from 37-2-1809.)		1817	92	
Scott, James (Colonel)	Petition asking an election be held to determine the location of county seat. Named in Petition: Town of Montgomery, Col. James Scott, Samuel S. Saunders, Esq., William Wale, and Jacob Lemmont.	Morgan	1813	25	2
Scurlock, Joseph	Petition of Thomas Shute asking duplicate land warrant. Named in Petition: Robert Bargs, Joseph Scurlock, John Overton & Joshua Hartley.		1813	34	1
Semar (s), Gallath	Petition of Kasper Mansker regarding a land grant originally issued to Gallath Semar(s).		1815	17	
Sevier, James	Petition of Joseph Brown requesting a refund for over payment of taxes. James Sevier and Thomas McCorrey mentioned in petition.	Washington	1813	14	1
Sevier, John	Petition of Benjamin Totten and John McDaniel regarding land grants. Named in petition: John Carter, John McAnally, John Armstrong, John Sevier, & Col. William Polk.		1813	5	2
Sheelor, Josphe	Petition of Roger B. Sappington asking that a certain land warrant ruling be left to the Williamson County Circuit Court. Named in petition: John Dabney, Peter Edwards, David Gee, Joseph Sheelor, and heirs of Jacob Sheta.	Williamson	1813	28	1
Shelbyville, TN	Petition from Bedford County asking for the establishment of a bank in Shelbyville.	Bedford	1817	61	



Sherill's Cove	Petition of William Reynolds, James Baker, and William Houston regarding the turnpike from Sherill's Cove to Painted Rock on French Broad River.		1817	32	
Sheta, Jacob	Petition of Roger B. Sappington asking that a certain land warrant ruling be left to the Williamson County Circuit Court. Named in petition: John Dabney, Peter Edwards, David Gee, Joseph Sheelor, and heirs of Jacob Sheta.	Williamson	1813	28	1
Shipp, Josiah	Petition of Josiah Shipp asking his illegitimate children be given his name.		1815	87	
Shute, Thomas	Petition of Thomas Shute asking duplicate land warrant. Named in Petition: Robert Bargs, Joseph Scurlock, John Overton & Joshua Hartley.		1813	34	1
Simpson, George	Petition of Neal B. Rose, Thomas Toppington, James L. Armstrong, Archibald H. Harris, Joel Dyer, George R. Nash, Thomas Mitchell, David Patton, & George Simpson asking that the county seat be returned to the town of Jefferson or they be refunded money for lots purchased. Also named: William Quisenberry, surveyor.	Rutherford	1813	27	1
Simpson, John W.	Petition of John W. Simpson asking he be allowed to keep the profits from turnpike between Sparta and Daddy's Creek for 3 years.	White	1817	34	
Simpson, John W., (Major)	Petition from White County regarding Major John W. Simpson and a road from White County Courthouse to Walton Road.	White	1813	23	3
Slave, Harriet	Petition of Thomas Blackney asking Harriet, a Negro woman in his possession be freed. Also that her sons, Frederick, John & Tobias be given his name, Blackney, and their freedom once they reach the age of manhood.	Montgomery	1813	14	3
Slave, Blackney, Frederick	Petition of Thomas Blackney asking Harriet, a Negro woman in his possession be freed. Also that her sons, Frederick, John & Tobias be given his name, Blackney, and their freedom once they reach the age of manhood.	Montgomery	1813	14	3
Slave, Blackney, John	Petition of Thomas Blackney asking Harriet, a Negro woman in his possession be freed. Also that her sons, Frederick, John & Tobias be given his name, Blackney, and their freedom once they reach the age of manhood.	Montgomery	1813	14	3
Slave, Blackney, Tobias	Petition of Thomas Blackney asking Harriet, a Negro woman in his possession be freed. Also that her sons, Frederick, John & Tobias be given his name, Blackney, and their freedom once they reach the age of manhood.	Montgomery	1813	14	3
Slave, Jesse	Petition of George W. Sanders asking compensation for his slave, Jessee, wrongfully executed. Also named: Samuel Smith, John Edwards.	Warren, Rutherford	1813	30	2
Slaves	Petition of Thomas Blackney asking Harriet, a Negro woman in his possession be freed. Also that her sons, Frederick, John & Tobias be given his name, Blackney, and their freedom once they reach the age of manhood.	Montgomery	1813	14	3
Slave, Harriet	Petition of Thomas Blackney asking Harriet, a Negro woman in his possession be freed. Also that her sons, Frederick, John & Tobias be given his name, Blackney, and their freedom once they reach the age of manhood.	Montgomery	1813	14	3
Small, William	Petition of Roane County asking William Small be pardoned from serving remainder of sentence for man-slaughter and reinstated to full citizenship.	Roane	1813	10	1
Smith, Benjamin	Petition asking Samuel Brooks & Benjamin Smith be allowed to erect a mill/dam on Duck River.	Maury	1813	37	2b
Smith, Bird (General)	Petition of Nichols Gillantine and W. P. White regarding a land warrant. Named in petition: John Jett, Esq.; William Samples & General Bird Smith.	White	1817	72	
Smith, John J.	Petition of John J. Smith asking compensation for tending a road.	White	1815	2	

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Smith, Samuel	Petition of Samuel Smith to build a toll bridge across Red River near Clarksville.	Montgomery	1813	11	3
Smith, Samuel	Petition of Col. George W. Sanders asking compensation for a Negro man named Jesse executed by State for stealing property from Mr. Samuel Smith of Rutherford County.	White, Rutherford	1813	24	3
Smith, Samuel	Petition of George W. Sanders asking compensation for his slave, Jessee, wrongfully executed. Also named: Samuel Smith, John Edwards.	Warren, Rutherford	1813	30	2
Smith, William.	Petition of William Smith asking pension for disability received from service in War of 1812.	Williamson	1815	35	
Snody, William	Petition of Joel Lewis regarding a land grant for Joel Lewis, William Snody & Benjamin Gooding.	Davidson	1813	15	1
Sparta, TN	Petition of John W. Simpson asking he be allowed to keep the profits from turnpike between Sparta and Daddy's Creek for 3 years.	White	1817	34	
Spear, David	Petition of David Spear asking that he be issued a military warrant.		1817	18	
Standifer, Israel	Petition of Israel Standifer asking to lay off road over Wallen's Ridge to connect with Rhea County.	Bledsoe, Rhea	1817	65	
State Bank	Petition from Maury County asking that a branch of the state bank be established in Columbia; the town of Columbia be incorporated; that Edward W. Dale, James Walker, and Samuel McDowell be appointed as Justices of the Peace.	Maury	1817	52	
Stewart County, Annexation	Petition from certain Stewart County residents asking to be annexed to Humphreys County.	Humphreys, Stewart	1815	27	
Stewart, James	Petition of Sumner & Davidson Counties asking compensation by given to James Stewart, mechanical inventor, for his generous contributions to his community.	Sumner, Davidson	1817	89	
Stones River	Petition of James E. Williams to build a mill dam on Stones River.	Davidson	1815	49	
Stones River	Petition of David Allen asking permission to build a mill dam on Stones River.	Davidson	1815	60	
Strain, John	Petition of John Strain and John Campbell, administrators of David Robertson, deceased, asking that they be absolved of debts owed by the deceased.		1815	69	
Stuart, Rebecca	Petition of Rebecca Stuart asking for a divorce from her husband, William Stuart.	Greene	1813	15	2
Stuart, William	Petition of Rebecca Stuart asking for a divorce from her husband, William Stuart.	Greene	1813	15	2
Stump, Christopher (Esquire)	Petition requesting changes in the method of conducting county court. Named in petition: Joel Lewis, George Wharton, Cary Felts, Elihu S. Hall, Philip Pipkin, Christopher Stump, Benajah Gray, Candour McFaddin, Robert Hewitt, Thomas Hickman and Joseph Coleman, Esquires.	Davidson	1813	18	2
Sumner Cotton Factory	Petition from stockholders of the Sumner Cotton Factory at Cairo asking to incorporate.	Sumner	1817	71	
Sutherland, John	Petition of Gabriel McCraw and John Sutherland asking permission to cut turnpike road to connect Roane & Overton Counties.	Roane, Overton	1817	81	
Swindle, Joe	Petition of James Rather asking relief from a conviction of assault and battery against Joe Swindle.	Smith	1813	8	3
Sympson, John	Petition of James Edington, a U. S. Mail contractor, asking improvement of road from Daddy's Creek to Sparta. John Sympson named in petition.		1817	29	

Tagent, James	Petition of Isaac A. Ward asking compensation for services ordered by Col. Thomas Cleriton to guide a West Tennessee Militia expedition. Names that appear in the Petition text: James Tagent, B. Cooper, Thomas Johnson		1815	48	
Taxes	Petition of Robertson County asking that commissioners be appointed to make necessary county assessment adjustments relating to the payment of the U. S. Direct Tax.	Robertson	1813	32	1
Taxes, Land	Petition of John Hillsman asking change in land taxation.		1815	22	
Taxes, reimbursement	Petition of Thomas Bradley, Sheriff of Wilson County, asking reimbursement from the State for money he advanced for state taxes.	Wilson	1815	52	
Taxes, reimbursement	Petition of John Menefee asking reimbursement for payment of state taxes on land of John McIves.	Knox	1817	50	
Taylor, Jeremiah	Petition of John Hargess, Aaron Hargess, William Hargess, Jeremiah Taylor and William Vaughn asking that they be donated 3,000 acres of land near salt well if they strike salt water.	Smith	1815	88	
Taylor, Nathaniel	Petition of Nathaniel Taylor regarding constitutionality of land law.		1813	38	2
Tazewell, TN	Petition from Claiborne County regarding condition of road from Tazewell to Beans Station and asking that it become State controlled.	Claiborne	1815	20	
Thomas, Nathaniel	Petition of William J. Lynes, jailer of Robertson District, asking to be paid certain fees. Others mentioned in petition text: Nathaniel Thomes, Stewart McThornton, and Jacob Pickering Robertson.	Robertson	1815	39	
Thorsley, Edward	Petition of William Bradley regarding a land grant. Named in petition: William P. Anderson, Edward Thorsley, and William Dillon.	Franklin	1813	17	1
Tobacco	Petition asking that the inspectors of tobacco, flour, hemp, etc. be stationed at the Town of Franklin.	Williamson	1815	68	
Tobacco	Petition asking permission for William McGee to construct a tobacco warehouse and navigation of the Duck River.	Bedford	1815	84	
Tobacco	Petition asking that a tobacco inspection be established at the mouth of the Wolf River.	Overton	1815	92	
Toppington, Thomas	Petition of Neal B. Rose, Thomas Toppington, James L. Armstrong, Archibald H. Harris, Joel Dyer, George R. Nash, Thomas Mitchell, David Patton, & George Simpson asking that the county seat be returned to the town of Jefferson or they be refunded money for lots purchased. Also named: William Quisenberry, surveyor.	Rutherford	1813	27	1
Totten, Benjamin	Petition of Benjamin Totten and John McDaniel regarding land grants. Named in petition: John Carter, John McAnally, John Armstrong, John Sevier, & Col. William Polk.		1813	5	2
Treadway, Daniel	Petition of Daniel Treadway asking for a divorce from his wife, Rebecca Eaton Treadway. Affidavits of Michael Branner, Joseph Austin, & Rachel Eaton included.	Jefferson, Hawkins	1813	11	2
Treadway, Rebecca Eaton	Petition of Daniel Treadway asking for a divorce from his wife, Rebecca Eaton Treadway. Affidavits of Michael Branner, Joseph Austin, & Rachel Eaton included.	Jefferson, Hawkins	1813	11	2
Tucker, (Captain)	Petition of Captain Tucker's Militia Company recommending Nicholas S. Peck for Justice of the Peace.	Jefferson	1815	64	
Tucker, (Captain)	Petition of Captain Tucker's Company asking William Cox be appointed Justice of the Peace to replace Adam Peck, deceased.	Jefferson	1817	49	

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Turner, Howard W. (Lieutenant)	List of elected officers of 38th Militia Regiment: Captain, Joseph Box; Lieutenants, Wade Knight & Howard W. Turner; Ensigns, James Enloe & John H. Burton. Reported by Lt. Col. Robert Jarmon.	Humphreys	1817	76	
Vaughn, William	Petition of John Hargess, Aaron Hargess, William Hargess, Jeremiah Taylor and William Vaughn asking that they be donated 3,000 acres of land near salt well if they strike salt water.	Smith	1815	88	
Walden's Ridge	Petition of Peter Hoodenpyle asking permission to repair and maintain the turnpike across Walden's Ridge.		1817	84	
Wale, William	Petition asking an election be held to determine the location of county seat. Named in Petition: Town of Montgomery, Col. James Scott, Samuel S. Saunders, Esq., William Wale, and Jacob Lemmont.	Morgan	1813	25	2
Walker, James	Petition from Maury County asking that a branch of the state bank be established in Columbia; the town of Columbia be incorporated; that Edward W. Dale, James Walker, and Samuel McDowell be appointed as Justices of the Peace.	Maury	1817	52	
Walker, John	Petition of Robert Gantt asking permission to build an iron works on Little River. John Walker named in petition.	Blount	1817	85	
Walker, Tandy	Petition asking that Tandy Walker be compensated for the rescue of Mrs. Crawley from the Creek Indians. (Miss. Territory)	Washington	1815	53	
Wall, William	Petition of William Wall asking permission to build a turnpike road from a point near William Davidson's home in Roane County to Standing Stone.	Roane	1817	64	
Wallace, Matthew	Petition of Hugh and Charles Kelso to establish town of Portville on their lands. Also names William Lowry, James J. Greene, John Eakins, Richard Dearmon, Matthew Wallace, James Wyly & John Lambert as commissioners of the town.	Blount	1813	11	1
Wallen's Ridge	Petition of Israel Standifer asking to lay off road over Wallen's Ridge to connect with Rhea County.	Bledsoe, Rhea	1817	65	
Waller, John	Petition of Capt. Brown's Company asking that Aaron Davis & John Waller be appointed as Justice of the Peace for their district.	Claiborne	1817	62	
Walton Road	Petition of inhabitants of Roane County concerning the number of days they are required to work on the road and asking new management on road from Kingston to Nashville. (Walton Road)	Roane	1817	35	
Ward, Isaac A.	Petition of Isaac A. Ward asking compensation for services ordered by Col. Thomas Cleriton to guide a West Tennessee Militia expedition. Names that appear in the Petition text: James Tagent, B. Cooper, Thomas Johnson		1815	48	
Warner, John (Sheriff)	Petition of John Warner asking that he be refunded certain money paid by him while sheriff of Bedford County Named in petition: Jesse Clark, Jesse Evans, Gov. Willie Blount, and Dr. James Armstrong.	Bedford	1817	28	
Warren County, boundaries	Petition from certain citizens regarding the county line between Warren and Franklin Counties. Alexander Perryman named as surveyor.	Warren, Franklin	1815	71	
Washington County	Petition from Washington County asking for a change in the State Judicial System. (Seven pages of signatures)	Washington	1813	9	1
Watson, John	Petition of Daniel Gunn asking for a land grant. Named in petition: Samuel Alexander, John Watson, Thomas Gunn, and Asa Mason.	Robertson	1817	23	
Watson, Rebecka	Petition of Rebecka Watson asking permission to retail liquor without a license.		1813	13	2

Wharton, George (Esquire)	Petition requesting changes in the method of conducting county court. Named in petition: Joel Lewis, George Wharton, Cary Felts, Elihu S. Hall, Philip Pipkin, Christopher Stump, Benajah Gray, Candour McFaddin, Robert Hewitt, Thomas Hickman and Joseph Coleman, Esquires.	Davidson	1813	18	2
White County	Petition concerning a change in the county seat of White County..	White	1815	98	
White County, annexation	Petition of citizens of Sequatchee Valley asking they be annexed to Roane and White counties instead of Bledsoe County.	Bledsoe, Roane, White	1813	20	3
White, James	Petition of James White and George McNutt asking that they be paid for attending impeachment of William Cocke.	Knox	1813	20	2
White, James	Petition of James White asking compensation for appearing at Gen. John Cocke's court martial.	Knox	1815	10	
White, James (Brigadier General)	Petition of John P. Houston asking compensation for militia services. Named in petition: Brigadier Gen. James White & Matthew Nelson.	Claiborne	1817	63	
White, W. P.	Petition of Nichols Gillantine and W. P. White regarding a land warrant. Named in petition: John Jett, Esq.; William Samples & General Bird Smith.	White	1817	72	
Whitson, Charles	Petition of Charles Whitson asking for a duplicate land warrant.		1813	13	3
Williams, James E.	Petition of James E. Williams to build a mill dam on Stones River.	Davidson	1815	49	
Williams, John (Colonel)	Claim of Ambrose Jones for cleaning public arms. Names Col. John Williams in petition.		1813	34	2
Williams, John (Colonel)	Petition of Ambrose Jones asking compensation for repairing muskets for East Tenn. troops during the Creek Indian War. Col. John Williams named in petition.		1817	56	
Williams, O.	Petition of O. Williams regarding a land claim of the underage heirs of Edwin Hickman. (Estate settlement)		1813	26	2
Williams, Samuel (Captain)	Petition of Capt. Samuel Williams' militia company requesting John Hunt be appointed a Justice of the Peace.	Robertson	1813	2	1
Williams, Samuel H. (Brigadier General)	Petition of John W. Gamble, Judge Advocate, asking compensation for members of court martial of Brigadier General Samuel H. Williams. Gov. Joseph McMinn named.		1817	42	
Williams, William	Petition of William Williams of Jefferson County asking the county line be changed so as to place his property in Knox County.	Jefferson, Knox	1813	23	1
Williamson County	Petition of Roger B. Sappington asking that a certain land warrant ruling be left to the Williamson County Circuit Court. Named in petition: John Dabney, Peter Edwards, David Gee, Joseph Sheelor, and heirs of Jacob Sheta.	Williamson	1813	28	1
Williamson County, Annexation	Petition asking that certain lands in Davidson County be annexed to Williamson County.	Davidson, Williamson	1815	72	
Wilson County, annexation	Petition of South East Corner of Wilson County asking they be annexed to Rutherford County.	Wilson, Rutherford	1813	32	2
Wilson County, annexation	Petition from Wilson County opposed to part of their county being annexed to Rutherford County.	Wilson, Rutherford	1813	24	1
Wilson County, boundaries	Petition from certain citizens of Wilson County asking that the county line be so altered as to put them in Rutherford County.	Rutherford, Wilson	1815	76	
Wilson, John A.	Petition of John A. Wilson regarding the surveying of a land entry. Isaac Jones mentioned in petition text.		1815	25	
Wolf River	Petition of Conread Pille requesting compensation for maintaining turnpike from Poplar Creek to Wolf River.		1815	90	
Woodward Academy	Petition of Trustees of Woodward Academy asking financial aid.	Maury	1817	47	



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Wright, Thomas	Petition of Thomas Wright regarding land warrant for service in surveying the military demarcation line. Also named: Robert Edmundson, Daniel Frazier, General Rutherford, and Captain Looney.	Bedford	1813	36	1
Wyly, James	Petition of Hugh and Charles Kelso to establish town of Portville on their lands. Also names William Lowry, James J. Greene, John Eakins, Richard Dearmon, Matthew Wallace, James Wyly & John Lambert as commissioners of the town.	Blount	1813	11	1
York, Jonathan	Petition from Nancy Reese asking for a divorce from her husband, Jesse Reece. Named in petition: Jonathan York.	Bedford	1813	26	3
Young, Charles	Petition of Wilkins, Jenny & Ewing Young, heir of Charles Young, requesting a grant. (Copy of map and grant included.)	Washington	1817	25	
Young, Ewing	Petition of Wilkins, Jenny & Ewing Young, heir of Charles Young, requesting a grant. (Copy of map and grant included.)	Washington	1817	25	
Young, Jenny	Petition of Wilkins, Jenny & Ewing Young, heir of Charles Young, requesting a grant. (Copy of map and grant included.)	Washington	1817	25	
Young, Wilkins	Petition of Wilkins, Jenny & Ewing Young, heir of Charles Young, requesting a grant. (Copy of map and grant included.)	Washington	1817	25	
Youngblood, J.	Petition of J. Youngblood to give his illegitimate children his name. Child's name given as James Maddison McMillion.		1815	89	
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